

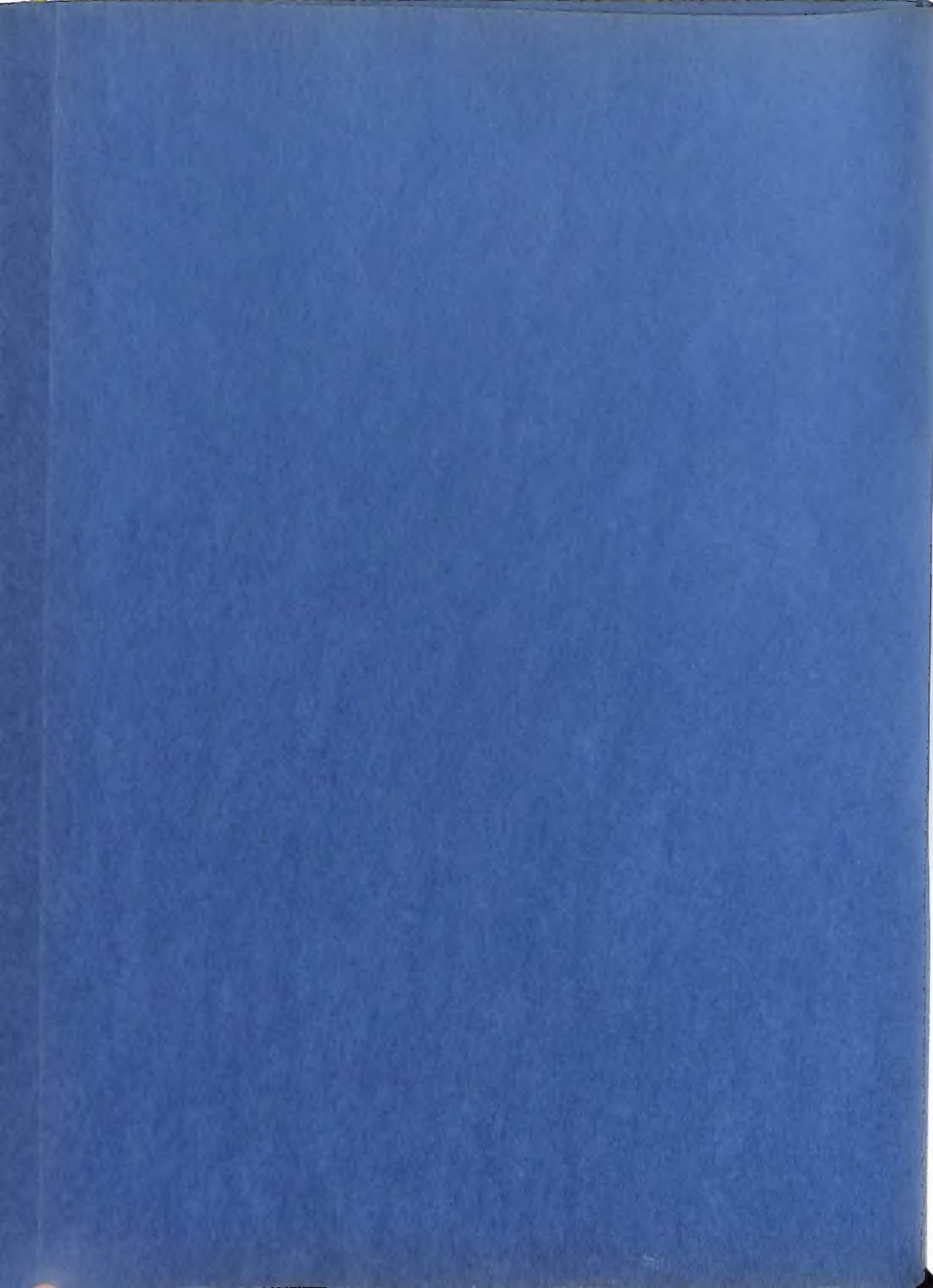
**1954 TOWER**





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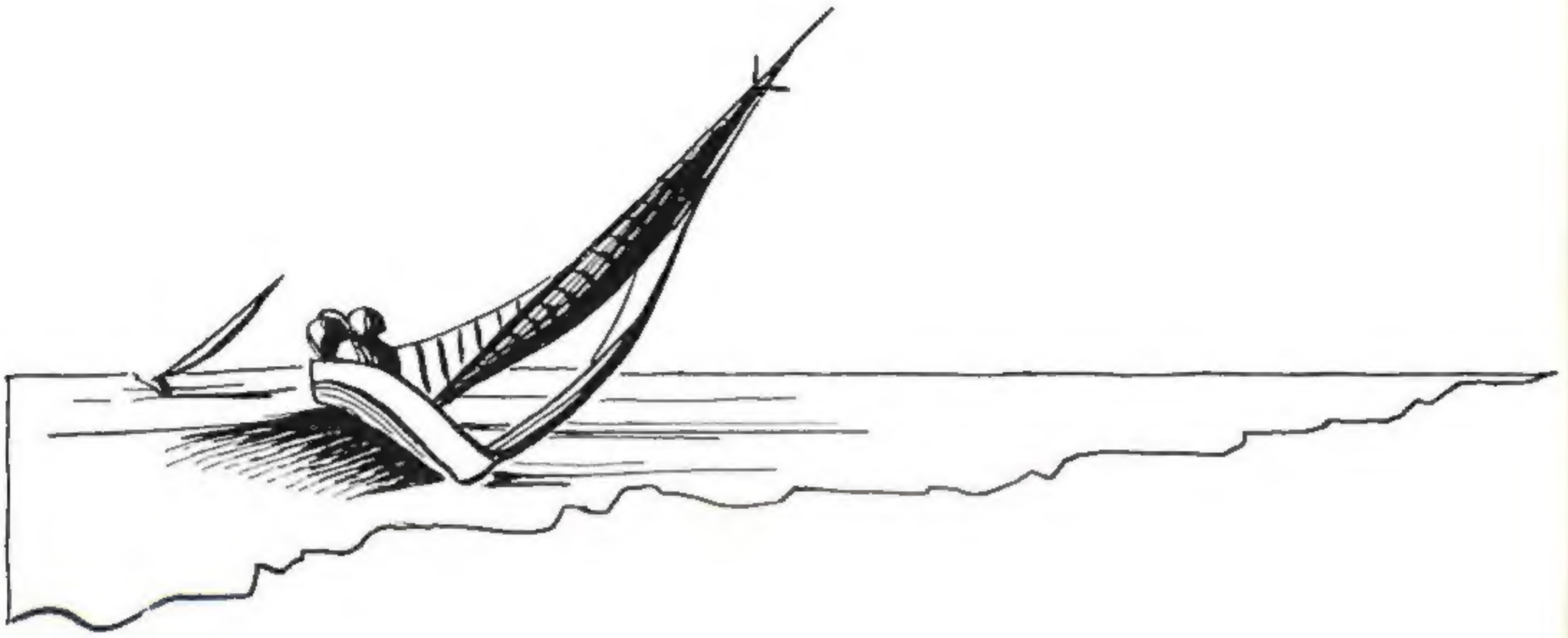
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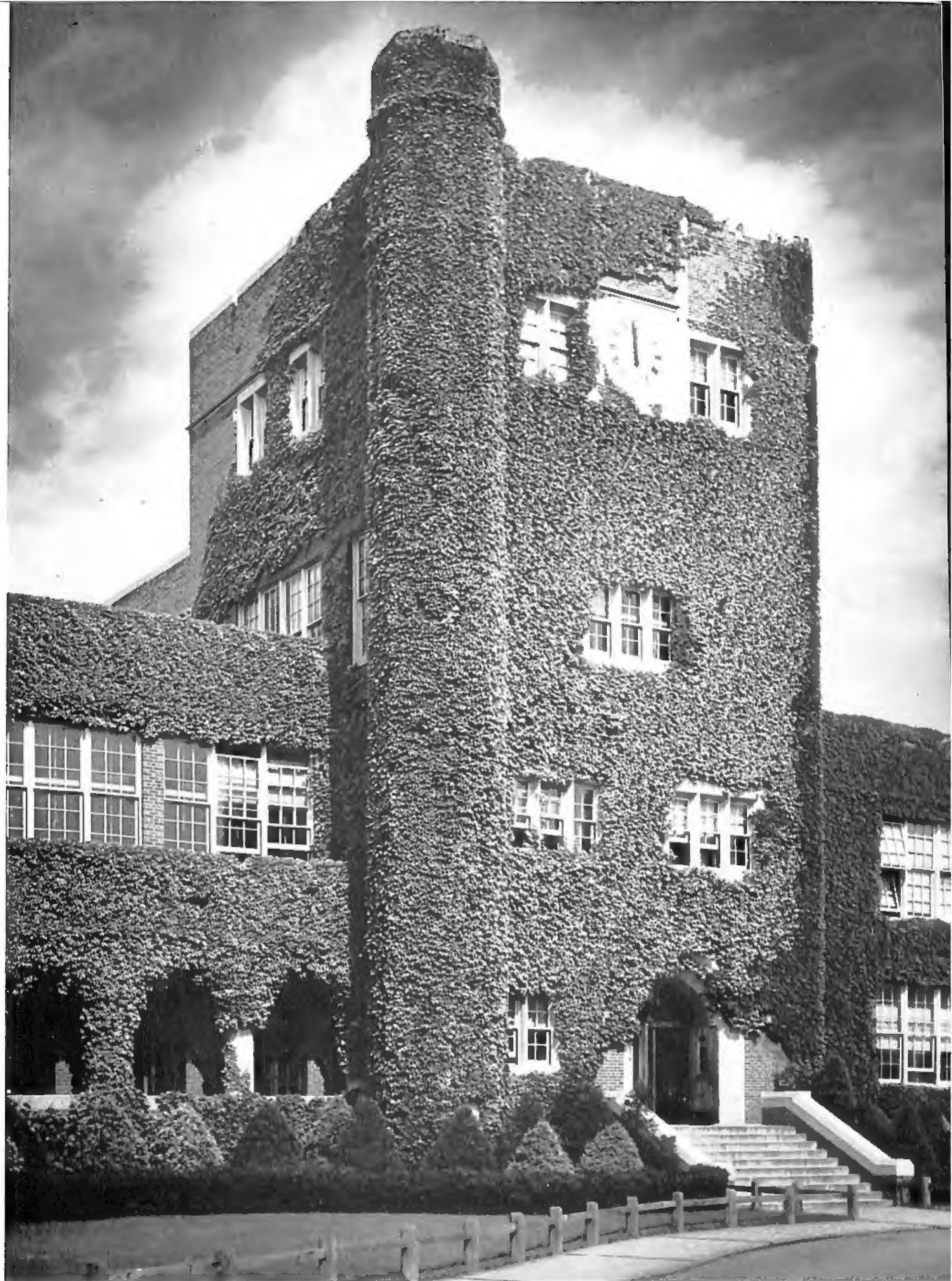
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# THE 1954 TOWER

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# FACULTY

THE battered old steamer, the MSMHS pulled into port with 146 weary passengers waiting to disembark. Before leaving, our hearty band decided to make a last tour of the grand old tub. We assembled on the bridge for a final farewell from Admiral K. B. Howard and his illustrious staff, Captain "Horatio" Raffensperger and Ensign "John Paul" Nannini. We listened to their parting words and then followed our guide, First Mate Gustav Ringwald, to the main deck.

On the way we passed our mathematician friends, Seamen Netter and Cooke, trying to plot our course under their harsh commander, Chief Bo'sun's Mate, L. Webb. Upon reaching the deck we were met by the appalling sight of two haggard sailors, Ganley and Molava, making a little "current history" by swabbing down the deck. Once in a while they glanced at their overseer who was dressed in a resplendent and ostentatious uniform complete with whip. It was none other than Second Mate "Ace" Metzger known among the crew as "Captain Bligh."

From the deck we went into the lounge. There, we met the charming Mrs. Rollins, formerly Miss Di, who had been good enough to teach us some Spanish, enabling us to converse with the natives while in Latin America. We were about to leave the lounge when we saw the ship's counselor, Miss



DR. RAYMOND L. COLLINS  
*Superintendent of Schools*



KENDALL B. HOWARD  
*Principal*



DR. LOUIS NANNINI  
*Assistant Principal*





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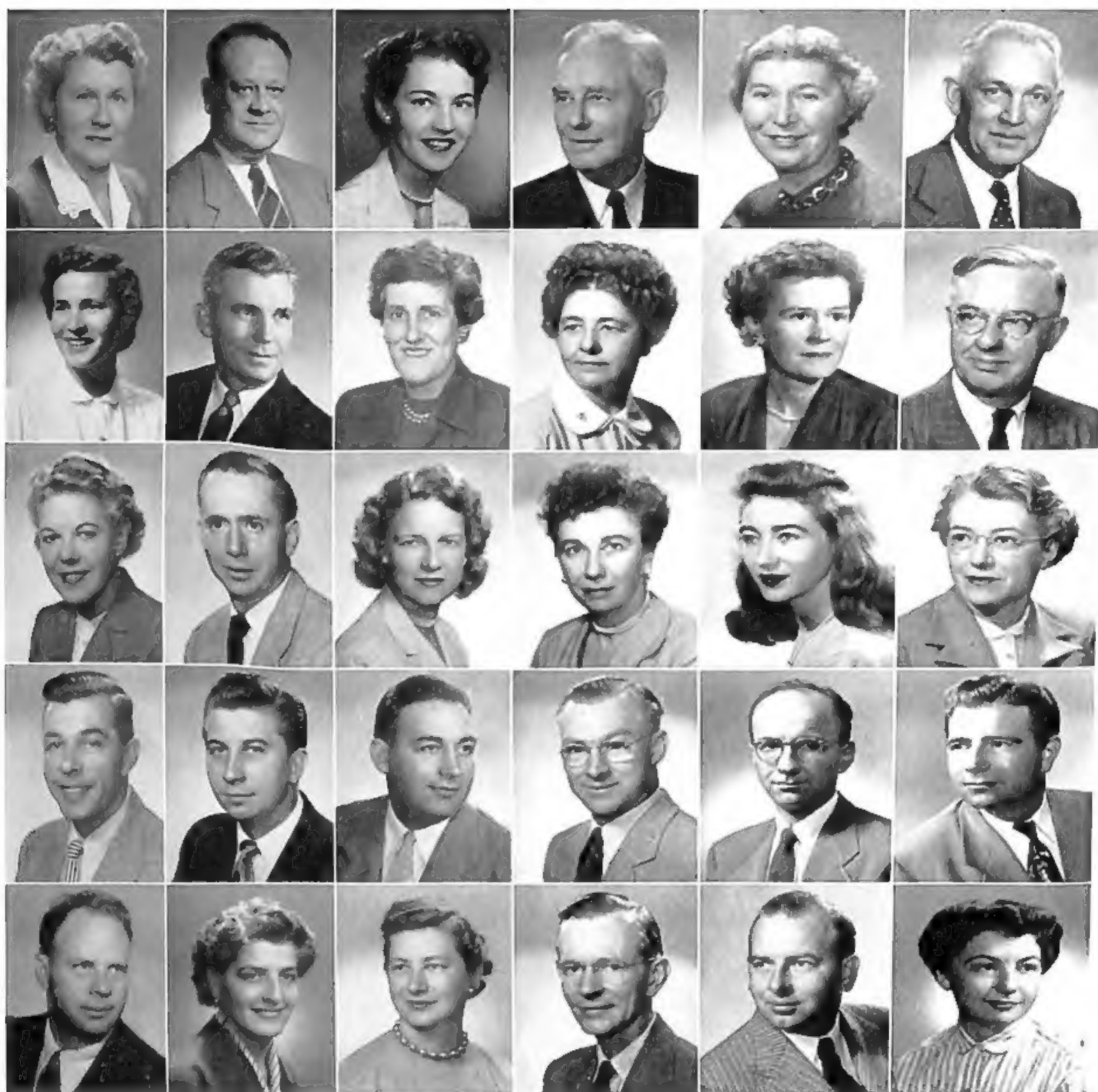
*Left to right*—C. Ashley Wright, Mrs. Dorothy Tracy, Glen Raffensperger, Assistant to the Superintendent; Mrs. Catherine De Pau, Secretary; Raymond L. Collins, Superintendent; W. Harrison Benton, President; John R. Morris, Joseph H. Phillips, D.D.S.

Crane, enter with a representative from Hinky Dink University. We said good-bye to our counselor without giving the university representative a chance to corner us.

Now we were on our way to the brig. First we passed a room with two gentlemen in it. Their names were Miller and Prunhuber. It seems they were conducting some experiments on the effect of seasickness on fruit flies. Oh well, we just smiled and continued on our way.

The brig greeted us with a disheartening sight. Behind bars with bread and water as his only sustenance, stood our French friend, M. Hoffman, elegantly dressed in his hound's tooth checkered vest, pegged pants, and spats. We discovered that he had been caught smuggling sentences ending with prepositions into the country by concealing them in pen and pencil tops. His translator, Madame Hare, kept insisting that the charges were ridiculous and that she would ask the Admiral for a reprieve. "A very sad story," we thought as we continued on down to the hold of the ship. There we found the eminent physicist, E. Filsinger, trying to hook up a system of pulleys to unload the cargo. We gave him a hand before saying good-bye and decided to return to the deck for a bit of fresh air.

We saw another startling sight on the way up. It was our friend, Doc Bishop, taking magnesium from sea water. Very important work, we all agreed. Reaching the deck we beheld Miss Wilkinson and Mrs. Elliott listening very attentively to Lieutenant-Commander Sweitzer reciting some poem about a boy on a burning deck. Then a new view caught our eyes. It was Seaman First Class Vassilliw in his swimming togs and under-



*Top row*—D. Auheck, English; F. Axtell, Chorus; L. Bilky, Homemaking; R. Bishop, Chemistry; R. Boze, Guidance; R. Cate, Health. *Second row*—B. Cohen, Physical Education; R. Cooke, Mathematics; S. Crain, Guidance; N. Decker, Social Studies; K. Elliot, English; E. Filsinger, Physics and Visual Aids. *Third row*—M. Force, Business; A. Ganley, Social Studies; V. Hansen, Speech and Dramatics; G. Hare, French; L. Herrforth, Art; M. Hoch, Librarian. *Fourth row*—C. Hoffman, French and Spanish; R. Krueger, Band; P. Metzger, Social Studies and Driver Education; J. Miller, Biology; T. Molava, Social Studies; L. Nannini, Social Studies. *Fifth row*—J. Netter, Mathematics; D. Norian, Business; A. Peterson, Nurse; W. Phillips, English; L. Prunhuber, Biology; L. Reinisch, Librarian.

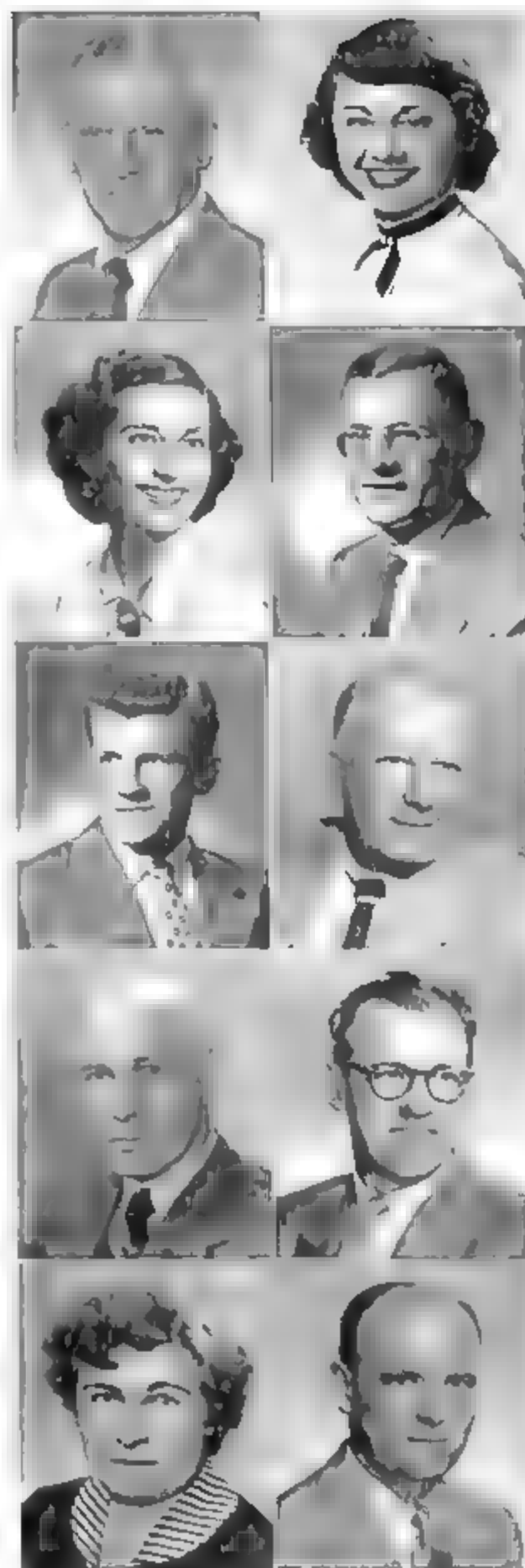
water outfit. We discovered that he was diving in search of sunken Roman galley ships, without much success. Upon turning the corner we found a poor fellow being flogged. He had handed in his passport to Commander Norian with an improper heading. We agreed that life at sea was hard and cruel at times.

We felt that we had seen enough and headed for the gangplank. Before leaving, however, we heard from up in the crow's nest, "Man overboard without a pass!" shouted by Seaman Tanner. There in the water was Seaman Seamen, a new recruit, trying to go for a swim without a blue pass. Yes, there was excitement up until the very end of our trip.

On the gangplank we were preceded by Mrs. Hansen and her troupe of Hansenian Players returning from a tour. Finally we reached shore. The ship's band directed by Third Mate Krueger, struck up a chorus of "Oh Stately Tower of Manhasset." We looked around for a last glimpse of the old MSMHS. There she was as stout and proud as ever. She had carried us for four years over the turbulent Seas of Academic Learning. There were times when we thought she would sink or we would be thrown overboard, but these things never happened. Now that the four years of life at sea were over, we realized how wonderful this ship had been. All we could say was "Good-bye MHS . . . Good-bye and thanks for a wonderful voyage" . . .

*Top to bottom*—G. Ringwald, Driver Education and Visual Aids; V. Rollins, Spanish; E. Ross, Spanish; V. Schumann, Social Studies; R. Seaman, Chemistry; W. Stewart, Physical Education; P. Sweitzer, English; K. Tanner, Attendance; M. Van den Broeck, Orchestra; W. Vassiliw, Latin

*Below* A. Vita, Shop; I. Walsh, Physical Education; L. Webb, Mathematics; E. Wilkinson, English





# *CLASSES*





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*Vice President*

## *Senior Class*

THERE are 146 of them. They're short, they're tall, they're chubby, slender, industrious, lazy, merry and sometimes even a bit troublesome, but Rear-Admiral Bishop (lovable Raleigh) said he wouldn't trade the whole crew, even for all the blessings of life. No, not even for a new set of bagpipes. In spite of the rumor that H. R. No. 85 and Judy Dawidoff were responsible for influencing the grand gentleman's crown piece to turn white, these sailors and gals had some amiable and highly commendable characteristics. Allow me, an old seadog who has watched their development, to spin a yarn about the inextinguishable fire they possess. I believe that that fire will give warmth to any who choose to recapture the events they took part in or witnessed.

When these 146 sailors and gals swarmed aboard this brig, their Firstmate Gross set them right to work carving their initials in the beams. A couple of talented fiddle players and one pretty flute player were asked to perform before the whole navy. Now, what were their names? O yes, they were Seamen Dantzsch, Wills, Conner, Duncan, and Harris. Our crew played other crews in games that first year, and they did a wonderful job, too. Funniest thing I think I've ever seen was a big fellow named Callan and a little one called Sutorius playing backfield in a few football games. They sure were clumsy!

The girls settled down to their knitting right away. It took the boys a while to calm down, though. You might explain it this way—well





*Home Room Meeting*

they hadn't seen such charming senior girls before. It took them a while to broaden their scope, I imagine. Then a young sailor, Ed Field, ran afoul Bo's'n Tanner who didn't take to young Ed's actions. I think Ed was put in the brig for a while. Hear he's out again, though, causing some kind of trouble with a pair of dividers. About that time, Nancy Gary, "The Dilatory Kid," made her debut in the humorous social pattern of MHS.

Well, spring came and went, summer rolled by and the crew prepared for a second year of duty. The same month the crew climbed the boarding plank that second year, an incessant commotion was noticed on the upper deck near H. R. No. 82. Everyone near enjoyed the rollicking laughter and the playful antics of Seamen Hess and Rauch as they artfully dodged the verbal missiles of delightfully irate Instructor Norian.

The whole crew turned out that year for the cruise to the "Emerald Isle." The preparations were directed by Seamen Wright, Morrow, Dawidoff, Mczey, Pflug, Ostergren, and Seeger, who made it one of the biggest affairs of the year.

After their two months' leave, the crew enthusiastically set sail for another excursion. Part of them began their instruction under "Tugboat"

Voigt, whom they confused with their antics. They revealed their warmth, however, in the welcoming of the two amiable "Sauerkraut" additions to the ship: Uve Hublitz and Aurelia Wick. Again the notable Peros Brugnani, star of dramatic productions, exhibited his hilarious talent on the ship's stage. Commendation is due Mrs. Hansen for picking a true "character" for character parts. Antics of characters were more prevalent in the halls and classes, however, than on the stage. Seaman Brewer began his massaging clinic during Period 5 of Instructor Filsinger. Seaman Ernie Singer was apprehended in the act of absconding with the library in his rowboat. The ship's mascot, Dumphy, was locked in his locker one day by a MacWatt girl. Then the days quickened and the fact became evident that the next voyage would be the crew's last.

They had more fun that fourth year than they had ever had. Just ask Tweedle-Dee Shirling. They participated in productions and held dances, the best part of each being the preparation it entailed. In advertisement for one of the affairs, the crew imported a beautiful French singer, Bordenia Painter. The renowned Pring Productions, Inc. signed a contract to publicize the Senior Prom. Principal Byrd and Floridenum Knockwurst were signed up by a Hollywood firm as a result. Versatile Borden Painter, cousin of Bordenia, engineered the contract and simultaneously entertained the fourth period English class.

The crew kept the action up until the last minute of their cruise. They offered Lieutenant Ganley the Room No. 78 trophy. He distinguished himself by being the only person able to make the emotionless Pat Callan blush. Neil Arnell and Gerry Lang put on the best rough and tumble acts ever seen. Could that be a romance?

Yes . . . The crew loved, fought, laughed, cried, worked and played together. Their unity became unshatterable. Those sailors started a fire when they first came. It's still burning in the halls of memory among their own ranks and with those that knew them. That fire will never go out. To the crew that will never be forgotten I can wish only the greatest gifts of life: true happiness, good health, and God's blessings wherever they travel.

## Senior Prom



BEFORE we seniors knew it, the time had arrived to start planning for the Senior Prom. *Blue December? Slush?* The job of finding the theme, *Christmas Fantasy*, was only one of the problems our Prom Chairman, Bob King, and the committee heads faced. Having our reputation of giving good dances to uphold, faced with the problem of decorating a new gym of Madison Square Garden proportions, we plunged gamely ahead. Heralded by colorful posters and weird mobiles, the ticket sellers presented "invitations" to those "select people" who happened to have the trifling (?) sum of \$2.50 on their persons.

At last the big night came! The multitude arrived to find the gym a veritable "Christmas Fantasy." Paul Muro's orchestra provided excellent music and an army of waiters served the delicious refreshments. The highlight of the evening was the coronation of Jim Wagner and Barbara Greig as king and queen of the prom. In keeping with the Class of '54 standards, our *Christmas Fantasy* was an unqualified success. Even the stalwart few among us, who came back to clean up after four hours sleep, will admit that!

This was *our* Senior Prom. It will be a long time before it will fade from our memories.





**JOHN ALSPACH** John  
126 Bourndale Road North Lehigh  
Dramatics 2; Youth Center Committee 3;  
Chemistry Club 4; Soccer Club 2; Soccer 2;  
Golf 1.

**JAMES WILLIAM ANGUS** Jim  
160 Shoreview Road U. of Alabama  
Chefs Club 4; Chess Club 3; Fencing 4.

**JOHN C. ARNELL** Neil  
173 North Woods Road Paul Smith  
Student Congress 4; *Tower*: Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; Discussion Club 4, Fencing  
4; Football 3, 4, Letter 4; Baseball 1;  
Bowling, Letter 2; Lacrosse 2, 4.

**JANET KAY ARPS** Jan  
80 Bourndale Road North Cornell  
National Honor Society; Student Congress  
1, 2, Service and Administrations Commit-  
tee 2; *Tower*: Dramatics 4; Band 1;  
Orchestra 1; Chorus 2, 3, 4, Soph Hop,  
Junior Prom, Senior Prom, *Tower* Hop,  
Assembly Committee 3, Service Committee  
Chairman 4; Disciplinary Committee 1;  
Spanish Conversation Club 3, 4; English  
Club 1, Discussion Club 3; Chemistry Club  
1, Intercultural Club Secretary 3, Sports  
Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2; Soccer 1, 2;  
Bowling 2; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Softball 1, 2.

**DOUGLAS AYERS** Doug  
71 West Drive Lehigh  
Flushing High School 1, 2, 3; Rifle Club  
4; Lapidary 4.

**CAROL BACHMAN** Bachie  
11 Mill Spring Road Syracuse  
*Tower*: Dramatics 3, 4; Chorus 4, Sopra  
Hop; Junior Prom, Senior Prom; Service  
Committee Secretary 4; French Club 2,  
French Conversation Club 3; 3:25 Club 3,  
Art Club 2, 3; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Head 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3,  
Tumbling 1, Soccer 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2,  
Baseball 1, 2, Apparatus 1, 2; Shield 2.

**LILLIAN C. BARRINGTON** Lillian  
5 Buckminster Lane Colby Junior  
Welcoming Committee 3, Soph Hop, Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Intercultural Club 4,  
Nurses Club 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Sports  
Night 1, 4.

**FARNESTINE BATES** Farnestine  
52 Pond Hill Road  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Chorus 2; Sports Night  
1, Baseball, Reserve 3; Hockey 1, Basket-  
ball 3.



**JUDITH DIANE BATSON** Judy  
27 Homewood Drive  
Edwin Denby High School 1; Student Congress 3; Building and Grounds Committee 3; *Tower*; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; MHSDG 4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Disciplinary Committee 4; Spanish Conversation Club 3; Radio Workshop 2, 3, 4; Discussion Club 3; Miss Novelty 4; Sports Night 3, 4, Head 4

**KENNETH C. BAYLIS** Ken  
51 Old Ox Road Columbia  
Chorus 1; Library Council 3; *Tower* Hop; Senior Prom; Radio Workshop 1; Discussion Club 3; International Relations Club 4.

**JOHN MONCRIEFF BEHNE** Johnny  
16 Andover Lane R. P. 1  
Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 4; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Camera Club 4; Radio Workshop 2; Chets Club 4; Chemistry Club 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Vice-President 3; Rifle Club 2; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4, Letter 3, 4.

**MARGOT JANE BOCKUS** Margot  
7 Exeter Lane Connecticut College  
*Tower*; Dramatics 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Library Council 2; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; French Club 2; English Club; Radio Workshop 4; Intercultural Club 4; Sports Club 2; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1; Ice Skating 2, 3; Softball 1; Basketball 1; Archery 1, 2; Lacrosse 1.

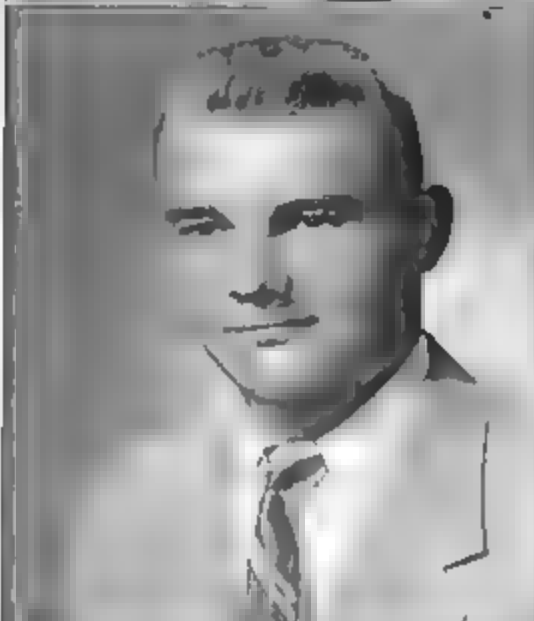
**ELIZABETH BONN** Betty  
28 Whistler Road Greenbriar Junior  
Chorus 4; Discussion Club 4; Intercultural Club 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor 1, 2, Soccer 1, 2 Tennis 1, Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Head 4.

**JOHN REED BRADFORD** Reed  
615 Park Avenue Rider  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Lacrosse 2; Wrestling 4.

**MALCOLM BARNES BREWER** Mac  
59 Dogwood Lane Wesleyan  
Student Congress 4; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Color Guard 4; German Club 2; Discussion Club 3; Track 1.

**KATIE E. BROEMMER** Katie  
48 Manhasset Avenue Katharine Gibbs  
*Tower*, Club 2, 3, 4 Exchange Manager 3, Business Manager 4 Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4, Orchestra 1, 2, Chorus 3, 4, Junior Prom, Senior Prom, German Club 2, 3 English Club, Library Council President 2 Short Club, Library Club 4, Secretarial Club 4, *Tower* and Club 4 Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Fashion Show 2, 3, Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4 Ice Skating 2, 3, Badminton 1, 2 Hockey Tennis 1 Soccer 1, Softball 1, Bowling 1, 2, Archery 1





**MARC PEROS BRUGNONI** Marc  
139 Ryder Road Harvard  
National Honor Society; GO President;  
Student Congress 1, 3; Pupils Activity  
Committee 3; Proctor, Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4,  
MHSDG 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3; Junior Prom  
Chairman, Youth Center 1, 2, 3, 4, Chair-  
man 3, French Conversation Club 2, 3,  
Radio Workshop 1, 2; Discussion Club 3.

**ARDEN K. BUCHOLZ, JR.** Bucky  
322 Ryder Road Dartmouth  
Wheaton High School 1; Student Congress  
4; *Cub* 3, 4, Photography Editor 3, Edi-  
torial Editor 4; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Altman Fashion Board 4, Tennis 2, 3, 4,  
Letter 4, Baseball 2

**PATRICK JOSEPH CALLAN** Pat  
23 The Beachway Villanova  
Student Congress 3; *Tower*; Junior Prom,  
Senior Prom; Altman Fashion Board 4,  
Discussion Club 3, 4; Shop Club 4; Foot-  
ball Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Letter 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 4, Letter 2, 4,  
Basketball 1, 2; Baseball 1.

**JOSEPH CHFBUSKE** Polack  
12 Bayview Avenue Colgate  
Dramatics 4; Christmas Pageant 4; Foot-  
ball 1, 4, Basketball 1, 3; Track 3.

**KAROL CHRISTENSON** Chris  
20 Sargent Place Cornell  
*Tower* Christmas Pageant 1, 2; Chorus  
3, 4, Library Council 1, 2; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; French Conversation Club 4,  
Discussion Club 4; Intercultural Club,  
Chairman 4, English Club; Sports Night  
1, 2, 3, 4, Tumbling 1, 2, 3; Softball  
1, 2, 3, Shield 2

**DOROTHY E. COMESKY** Dot  
25 Linden Street Hofstra  
St. Mary's 1, Senior Prom; Soccer 2, 3;  
Hockey 2, 3; Bowling 2; Basketball 1.

**CAROL DEVONA CONNER** CC  
38 Sherry Hill Lane U. of Vermont  
Student Congress 2; *Tower*; *Cub* 4; Orches-  
tra 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Soph Hop; Junior Prom Senior Prom,  
Assembly Committee 3, Service Committee  
1, Radio Workshop 4, 3, 25 Club 3,  
French Club 2; French Conversation Club  
3, 4, Advanced French 4, English Club,  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Soccer 3; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4, Volleyball  
1, 2, 3, 4, Manager 4; Lacrosse 2, 3,  
Shield 2

**EDWARD CORLEY** Smiley  
101 Pond Hill Road Virginia Union  
Chief Justice, Student Congress 3; Athletics  
Committee 3; Chorus 3, 4; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom, Disciplinary Committee 4,  
Discussion Club 3; Intercultural Club 4,  
International Relations Club 4, Football  
1, 2, 3, 4, Letter 2, 3, 4, Basketball 1, 2,  
3, 4, Letter 1, 2, 3, 4

**PHYLLIS McRAE COTTER** Phil  
148 Dogwood Lane Centenary Junior  
Dramatics 4; Chorus 4; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; French Club 2, 3, 3:25 Club  
3; Art Club 2; Intercultural Club 4; Sports  
Club 2; Cheerleader 3, 4 Sports Night  
1, 2, 3, 4 Head 4 Hockey 1, 2, 3,  
Soccer 1, 2, Basketball 1, 2, Tennis 3, 4,  
Volleyball 3, 4

**ANNE BALFOUR COUCHMAN** Anne  
7 Middle Drive  
Connecticut College for Women  
Vincent Smith 1; *Tower*; Christmas Pageant  
4; Chorus 3; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Rifle Club 4; Art Club 3, 4; Intercultural  
Club 4; Sports Night 2, 3, 4; Softball 2.

**JOAN ESTHER CROSBY** Joan  
15 Highmeadow Road Centenary Junior  
Club 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Junior Ring Com-  
mittee 3; Junior Prom; Activity Coordinat-  
ing Committee 2, School Store 3, 4; Head  
4; Spanish Club 4; English Club; 3:25  
Club 4; Bridge Club 2; Shorthand Club 4  
Secretarial Club 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Head 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2,  
Soccer 1, 2; Hockey 1, 2; Archery 1.

**JOHN HENRY CURRY** John  
151 Manor Place Lewis and Clark  
Welcoming Committee 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Band; Music  
Appreciation 1, 2; Stage Craft 4; Football  
Club 4; Cross Country 1; Track 1, 3, 4;  
Football 4.

**JUDITH ANN DANIEL** Judy  
664 Hunt Lane Bucknell  
*Tower* Club 4; Dramatics 4; Christmas  
Pageant 2, Chorus 4; Junior Prom; Senior  
Prom, Spanish Conversation Club 4; In-  
tercultural Club 2, 3; Miss Novelty Club  
1, Sports Night 2, 3, 4.

**DAVID ARTHUR DANIELS** Dave  
128 Vanderbilt Avenue Harvard  
National Honor Society; Club 2, 3, 4,  
Circulation Manager 3, 4; Color Guard 4;  
Camera Club 4; Soccer 1, 3, 4, Letter 4;  
Wrestling 3, 4

**DAVID DIETZ DANTZSCHER** Dietz  
100 Knickerbocker Road Princeton  
Community Ambassador 3; National Honor  
Society, *Tower*, Associate Editor, Dramatics  
Society, 2, 3, 4, Christmas Pageant 2, MHSDG  
3, 4, Trustee 4; Senior Prom; Assembly  
Preview Committee 2, German Club 2,  
English Club Football Letter 1; Rifle  
Letter 2, 3, 4, Soccer 3, 4, Letter  
2, 3, 4

**ROLAND DAVIS** "Lover"  
51 Valley Road  
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Fencing 1, Cross country,  
Letter 1, Football 2, 3, 4, Letter 2, 3, 4







**JUDITH PAULA DAWIDOFF** Judy  
179 Nassau Avenue Smith  
National Honor Society; Proctor; Class  
Treasurer 1, Secretary 4; Welcoming Com-  
mittee 2; *Tower*, *Cub* 3, 4, Editor-in-Chief  
4; Dramatics 1, 2, 4; Christmas Pageant  
1, 2; Soph Hop, Junior Prom, Senior  
Prom, Chorus 1, 2, Youth Center 1, 2, 3,  
Treasurer 2, French Conversation Club 2,  
3, 4; Spanish Conversation Club 4, Ad-  
vanced French 1, Intercultural Club 2,  
Cheerleader Manager 3, Sports Night 1, 2,  
3, 4, Head 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4, Tennis 2, 3, 4

**ROGER DFEELS** "Rog"  
64 Westgate Boulevard Yale  
National Honor Society, Student Congress  
1, GO Dance Committee 1, 2, 3, Dramatics  
1, Christmas Pageant 1, 3, Orchestra 1, 2,  
3; Soph Hop; Soccer 2, 3, Letter 2, 3,  
Basketball, Letter 1, 2, 3, Baseball, Letter  
1, Track 2

**TRUE DIFNER** True  
64 Pickwick Road U. of Connecticut  
Student Congress 2, Rules Committee 2,  
*Tower*; Dramatics 2, 3, Band 2, 3; Soph  
Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom, School  
Store 3, 4; Art Club 2, 3, 25 Club 3,  
Discussion Club 3; Chemistry Club 4,  
Stage Craft 1, Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Tap Dance 1, 2, Tumblin' 1, 2, Basketball,  
2, Volleyball 2, Hockey 2, 3, Shield 2

**PATRICIA MARY DOUGAL** Pat  
11 Knickerbocker Road Katherine Gibbs  
Student Congress 3, Pupils Activity Com-  
mittee 3, *Tower*; Dramatics 4, Chorus 3, 4,  
*Tower* Fashion Show; Library Council 1, 2,  
Junior Prom, Senior Prom; French Club 2,  
French Conversation Club 3; Advanced  
French 4, English Club, Secretary; Inter-  
cultural Club 4, Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Golf 1, 2, Badminton 3

**RICHARD DRUMMEY** Dumphy  
121 Quaker Ridge Road Tatfs  
St. Mary's High School 1; Student Con-  
gress 3; Athletic Committee 3, Chorus 3, 4,  
Soph Hop, Junior Prom, Senior Prom,  
Color Guard, Basketball 2, 3, Football  
2, 3, 4, Letter 4, Baseball 3, 4

**ROBERT SHANE DUNCAN** Bob  
710 Park Avenue MIT  
Band 3, 4, Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4, Dance  
Band 2, 3, 4; Visual Arts 2, 3, Birdband-  
ing 2

**ANN DEBORAH DUNNING** Ann  
22 Longridge Road Bucknell  
Class Treasurer 4, *Tower*, Typing Editor,  
*Cub* 3, Dramatics 4, Chorus 4; Junior  
Prom, Senior Prom; Art Club, Treasurer 2,  
3, 25 Club, Secretary 3, Sports Night 1, 2,  
3, 4, Head 4, Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor  
3, 4, Volleyball 1, 2, 3, Manager 3, Basket-  
ball 1, 2, 3, Soccer 2, 3, M.S.

**COURTLANDT FLY** Court  
5 Winthrop Road Florida Southern  
Soph Hop, Junior Prom, Football, Letter 1,  
Basketball 1, 2, Lacrosse 1, 2



*Brugnani's Brawl*



*Cool Man Club*

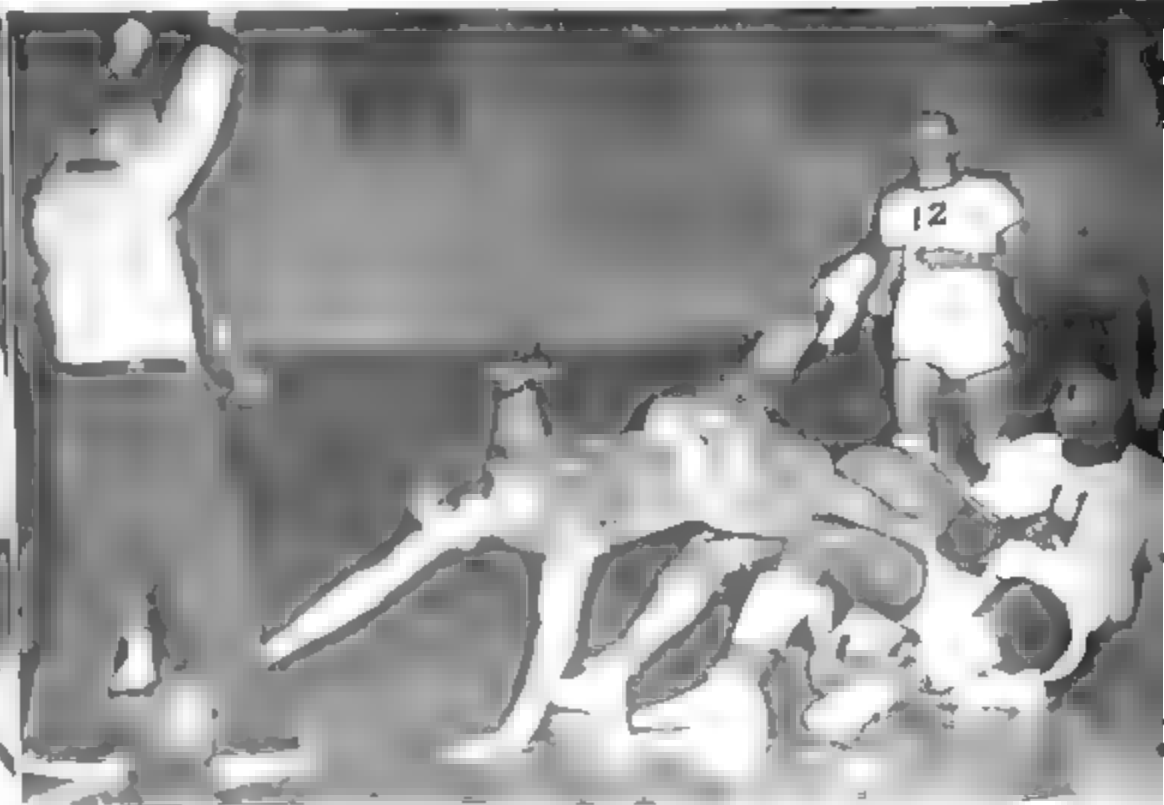


*Appreciation?*



*Where are the boys?*

*And here comes Mike!*





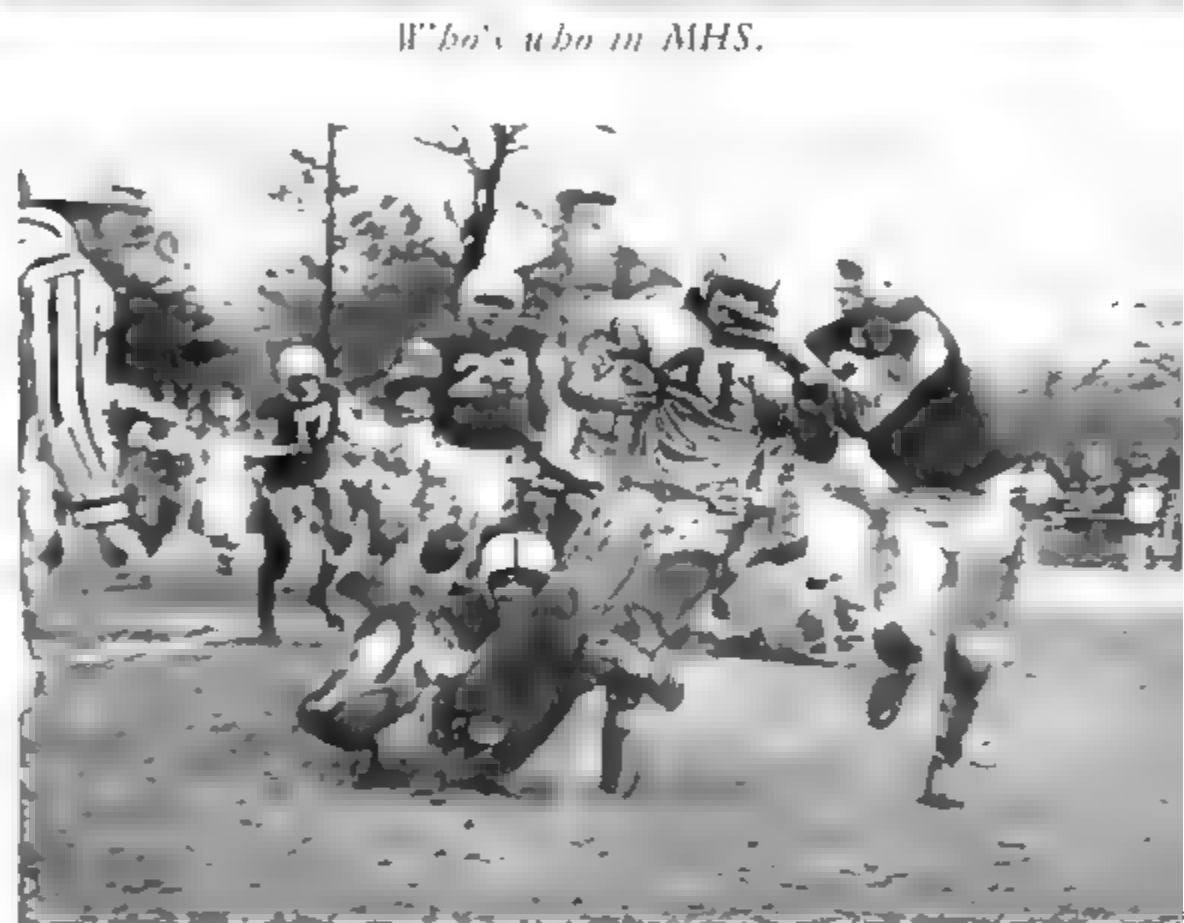
*Marbasset burns out.*



*Who's who in MHS.*



*Krueger's Henchmen.*



*It doesn't come off, Brad.*

*Concentration . . .*



*Beauties and the Beast*







**MARION FACIUS** Marion  
16 Old Estate Road Centenary Junior  
*Tower*, Chorus 4, Junior Prom, Senior  
Prom; Spanish Club 2, 3, 4; English Club;  
Art Club 2, 3, 4, Head 1, Hockey 1, 2,  
Basketball 1, 2, Tumbling 1, 2, 4, Shield 2

**DEBORAH DINA FANTO** Debbie  
5 South Drive Syracuse  
Proctor; *Tower*, Art Editor, Dramatics 1, 2,  
3, 4; MHSBG 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3, Vice-  
President 4, Talent Show 1, 2, 3, 4, Soph  
Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Art Club  
1, 2, 3, President 4; Cheerleader 3, 4;  
Majorette 2; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Head;  
Dance 1, 2

**FRANCES C. FERGUSON** Cocoa  
39 The Terrace Oberlin  
Proctor; Chairman of Student Congress 4,  
Student Congress 1, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2,  
3, 4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom,  
Cheerleader 3, 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Head 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor 3,  
Hockey 1, 2, 3; Softball 1, 2, 3; Shield 1,  
M 3

**BEVERLY ELAINE FEUSS** Bev  
33 Winthrop Road Cornell  
National Honor Society; Student Congress  
1; Class Treasurer 2; *Tower*; Dramatics 1,  
Chorus 2; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior  
Prom; Service Committee 2, 3, Spanish  
Conversation Club 3, 4, English Club,  
Cheerleader 3, 4; GA 1, Sports Night  
1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 1, Hockey 1, 2, 3, Reserve  
3, Bowling 1, 2, 3, Volleyball 1, 2, 3,  
Tumbling 1, 2, 3, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Honor 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 4

**BARBARA BETTY FICKFN** Fickie  
52 North Woods Road Beaver  
*Tower*; Cub 3, 4, Typing Editor 4, Drama-  
tics 3, 4, Orchestra 3, 4, Soph Hop; Junior  
Secretary 3, 3 25 Club, Vice-President 3;  
Prom, Senior Prom; Service Committee,  
GAC 1, Hockey 2, 3, 4, Honor 2;  
Volleyball 1, 2, 4, Reserve 4; Basketball  
1, 2, 4, Softball 1, 2, 3, 4, Reserve 3,  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 1, Shield  
2, M 3

**EDWARD C. FIELD** Eddie  
137 Dogwood Lane Lehigh  
French Conversation Club 3; Chets Club,  
Treasurer 4, Soccer 2, 3, 4, Letter 4, Track  
3, 4, Letter 4, Basketball 2, 4

**GLORIA FILLA** Gloria  
885 Northern Blvd  
Library Council 1, 2, Nurses Club 1,  
Sports Night 1, 2, Basketball 4

**NANCY ELIZABETH GARY** Nasty  
198 Dogwood Lane St. Lawrence  
*Tower*; Cub, Dramatics 3; Junior Prom,  
German Club 4, Spanish Conversation Club  
3, Rifle Club 4; Art Club 2, 3, 4, Hockey  
1, 2, 3, 4, Honor 2, 3, 4, Volleyball 1, 2,  
3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Softball 1, 2, 3,  
Bowling 3, 4, Shield 2, M 3

**SONDRA GOLDSTEIN** Sandy  
90 Harrow Lane Adolph  
*Tower*; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; *Tower*  
Hop; Spanish Club 3; Art Club 4; *Tower*  
Fashion Show; Sports Night 1, 2, 4; Volley-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Archery 1; Golf 1

**JOAN EVELYN GOLSNFR** Joan  
Wheatly Gardens Greenvale, N. Y.  
Centenary Junior  
Penn Hall Prep School 1; *Tower*; Chorus  
4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Youth Center 2; Discussion Club 3; Chem-  
istry Club 4; Bridge Club 2; Sports Night  
2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 4; Hockey 2, 3;  
Softball 2, 3, 4

**BARBARA ANDREA GREIG** "B"  
7 Highmeadow Road U of Vermont  
*Tower*; Christmas Pageant 2; Chorus 4;  
Soph Hop; Senior Prom; Junior Prom;  
English Club; Youth Center 3; Alumni  
Fashion Board 4; International Relations  
Club 1; Bridge Club 3; *Tower* Fashion  
Show; Sports Night 1, 2, 3; Tumbling 1;  
Basketball 2

**DENYSE ANN GRIFFIN** Denny  
12 Middle Drive Marymount Junior  
Saint Mary's High School 1, 2; *Tower*;  
Club 4; Dramatics 4; *Tower* Hop; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Discussion Club 4;  
Sports Night 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 2, 3, 4;  
Softball 2, 3, 4; Honor 3; Basketball 2, 3.

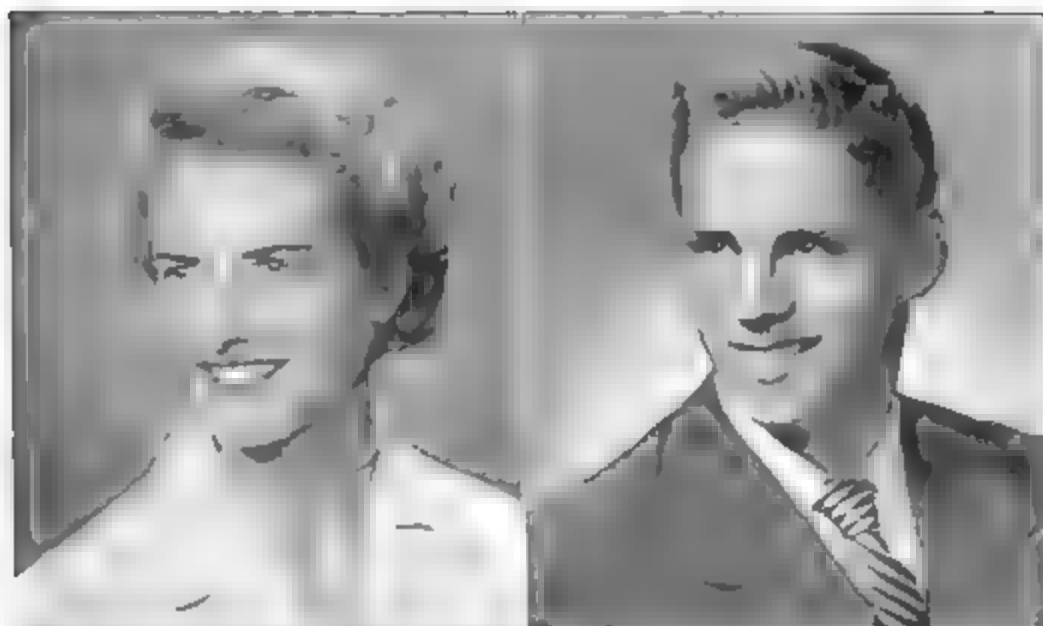
**RUSSELL K. GRIFFITH** "Goodnite"  
22 Stonehenge Road R. P. I.  
Washington Park High 1, 2; Dramatics 4;  
Band 3; Senior Prom; Disciplinary Commit-  
tee 4; Discussion Club 3; Chemistry Club  
3, 4; Chess Club 3; Camera Club 3.

**FREDERICK S. GURZELER** Fred  
17 Long Ridge Road  
Club 3, 4; Boys' Sports Editor 4

**GAIL CARTER HAMILTON** Gail  
88 Godwood Lane Syracuse  
*Tower*; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Christmas  
Pageant 2; Chorus 3; Soph Hop; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Library Council 1, 2;  
President 2; Science Club; Secretary 1;  
Rifle Club 4; Art Club 2, 3, 4; Intercultural  
Club 3; Stage Craft 4; *Tower* Fashion  
Show; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball  
2, 3; Volleyball 2, 3, 4

**SARAH C. HAMILTON** Sarabone  
37 Colonial Parkway St. Lawrence  
Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 4; Orchestra 1, 2,  
3, 4; French Club 2; Leaders Club 2, 3;  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Head 4; Shield 2;  
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Honor 3, 4; Hockey  
1, 2, 4; Softball 1, 4; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Honor 4; Riding Club 2, 3, 4





**CYNTHIA HARRIS** Cynthia  
7 Woodland Drive Vassar  
National Honor Society, Flmura Key  
Award; GO Treasurer 3, 4; Class Secretary  
1, 2; Proctor, *Totter* Fashion Show; Or-  
chestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; French Conversation Club 4;  
Cheerleader 3, 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Majorette 1, 2, 3; Head 2, 3; Hockey  
1, 2, 3; Honor 2, 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3;  
Shield 2; "M" 3



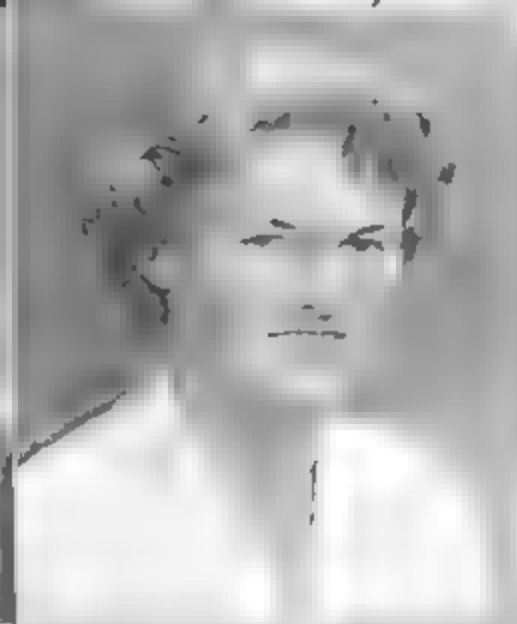
**RICHARD HAUS** Dick  
58 Eakins Road U. of Vermont  
Discussion Club 4; Chiefs Club 4; Foot-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 4; Basketball 1;  
Lacrosse 2



**ROBERT HAYES** Bob  
25 Highland Terrace Adelphi  
Chiefs Club 4; Fencing Club 4; Vice-  
President 4



**JOHN HEINBOCKEL** "Shu"  
153 Castle Ridge Road N. C. State  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom; German Club  
2; Chiefs Club 4; Chemistry Club 4; Bowl-  
ing, Letter 2, 3, 4; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Letter 3, 4; Football 1



**WILLIAM EDWARD HESS** Willie  
51 Kensett Road Dartmouth  
Student Congress 1; *Totter*, Business Man-  
ager, Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Discus-  
sion Club 4; Football 1, 3, 4; Letter 3, 4;  
Soccer, Letter 2; Lacrosse, Letter 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Bowling Letter 1



**BARBARA JANE HOLZBOG** Holzie  
571 Hunt Lane Russell Sage  
*Totter*; Dramatics 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Chorus 4; Junior Prom, Senior Prom;  
French Conversation 3, 4; English Club;  
3-25 Club 3; Miss Novelty Club 1;  
Nursing Club 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Head 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 2, 3, 4;  
Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 4; Basketball  
1, 2, 3, 4; Reserve 2, 3; Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 2, 3; Lacrosse  
1, 2, 3, 4



**MARGARET JOAN HOPPOCK** Joan  
104 Webster Avenue Northwestern  
National Honor Society; *Totter*; Dramatics  
4; Band 1, 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Youth Center 4;  
French Conversation 3, 4; Discussion Club  
3; Radio Workshop 3; Leaders' Club 1,  
2, 3; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Head 4;  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 2, 3; Hockey  
1, 2, 3; Reserve 2; Honor 3; Lacrosse 1;  
Tumbling 1, 2, 3; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Shield  
1, "M" 2; Star 2, 3



**UVE HUBITZ** Uve  
34 Aldershot Lane Cornell  
Great Neck High School 2; Student  
Congress 4; Rules Committee 4; Junior  
Prom; German Club 3; Discussion Club 4;  
Football 3, 4; Track, Letter 3, 4

**JOHN HUFFARD**

John

19 Rockwood Road Washington & Lee  
GO Dance 4; *Cub* 2, 3, 4, Assistant Business Manager 4; Photographer 4; Dramatics 2; Library Council 2; Senior Prom; Spanish Conversation Club 4; Bowling Club 3, 4; Tennis, Letter 4

**PAUL HUGHES**

Beanie

68 Udall Drive Academy of Aeronautics  
Chorus 4; Fencing Club 4; Biology Club 2.

**WILLIAM S. HYATT**

Bill

175 Quaker Ridge Road Georgia Tech  
Senior Prom; *Tower* Hop; Chemistry Club 4; Chets Club 4; Lacrosse Club 4; Football 2; Lacrosse 1, 2

**ROBERT WARD KASNITZ**

Kazie

158 Hillcrest Avenue Bucknell

Student Congress 4; Pupil Activity Committee 4; *Tower*; Dramatics 3; Junior Prom, Senior Prom; Radio Workshop 3; Discussion Club 3, 4; Shop Club 4; Soccer Club 3; Football Club 3, 1; Football 1, 3, 4; Soccer 2; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3; Letter 1; Bowling 1; Basketball 1; Softball 4.

**ANN KIESWETTER**

Kiesy

235 North Woods Road Vassar

National Honor Society; *Tower*; Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; MHSOG 3, 4, Secretary 4; Christmas Pageant 2; *Tower* Fashion Show; Library Council 2; Junior Prom, Senior Prom, Service Committee 3; Spanish Club 3; English Club; Radio Workshop 4; Discussion Club 3, 4; Art Club 1, 3; Intercultural Club 3; Stage Craft 4; Fencing 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4

**ROBERT JAY KING**

Bob

51 Foxhast Lane Iowa State

Student Congress 1, 2, 4; Athletics Committee 1, 2, 4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom, Senior Prom, Chairman; Baseball 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 3, 4; Lacrosse 1

**DONALD N. KLAGES**

The Greatest

78 Pickwick Road Dartmouth

Student Congress 2; Pupil Activity Committee 2; Service and Administration Committee 2; Proctor; *Tower*; Photography Editor; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Manager 3, 4; President 4; Orchestra 3, 4; Manager 4; Dance Band 2, 3; Soph Hop; Junior Prom, Senior Prom, Youth Center 2; Science Club; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4; Letter 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 2, 3, 4

**JOAN BARBARA KONCHINSKI** Joanie

15 Clark Drive, Great Neck

Mrs. Skinner's Secretarial School

Library Council 1, 2; Shorthand Club 4; Sports Night 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 2; Ice Skating 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3; Badminton 1





# Community



FRIENDSHIP is a priceless commodity, which can neither be bought nor sold, but which is perhaps more valuable than any material thing on earth. With the world situation what it is, friendship between the people of the United States and other countries is more important now than ever. Unfortunately, Americans are not always as well-liked by peoples of other countries as they would like to be, or as they think they are. This is due in part to false ideas about America and Americans, gleaned from the motion pictures and from contact with the small (but conspicuous) percentage of American tourists who act in a manner that does the United States no credit.

Acting on the precept that understanding is one of the stones in the foundation of friendship, the Experiment in International Living founded a program designed to bring peoples of the United States and other nations closer together. By living as a member of a foreign family for a month, learning their habits, customs, views, and opinions, and then traveling about the country for another month with the "brother" or "sister" of a family in order to gain a better understanding of the physical features of the country, a young person can get a good understanding of the country and its people. At the same time the host family and other people he or she comes in contact with, get a true idea of what an average American is like.

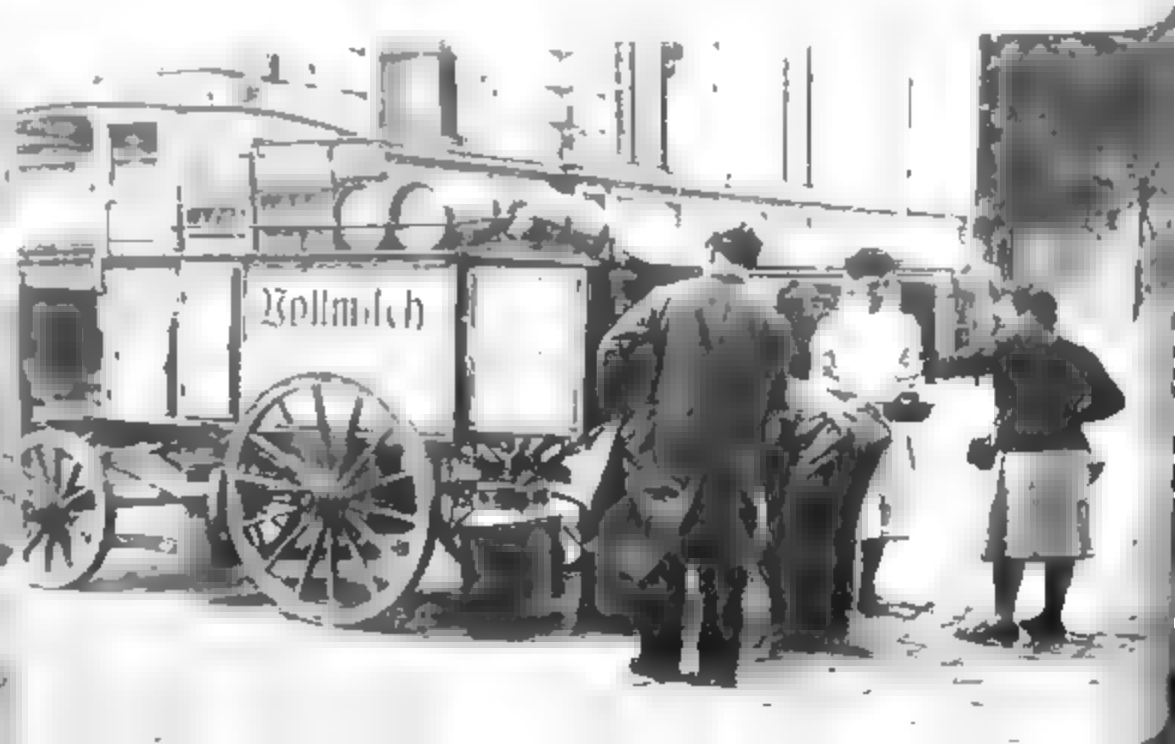
This year, through the sponsorship of the S. C. A., Manhasset sent its first Community Ambassador. The opportunity was open to any qualified junior and the final choice of David Dantzscher to fill the post was made difficult by the fine quality of the other candidates. After taking a



*"Soest is a curious blend of old and new."*

*"My hometown for the summer . . ."*

*"Must be the local Borden delivery."*



# Ambassador

special speech course from Mrs. Hansen and absorbing various facts about the American government, Dave gave a talk to the school and then hastened off to Germany with his typewriter, camera, and light blue Bermuda shorts to make friends for himself and the United States.

For the next month the Meyer family of Soest in Westfalen, Germany, became his family and his attentions focused on becoming one of the family. Hellmut, his "brother," and Hellmut's jazz-loving friends accepted him as one of the crowd. The time passed all too quickly. The trip through southern Germany was fun even though Dave almost collapsed while trying to climb to an Alps camp while loaded down with numerous small and weighty mementoes of Munich, not to mention his typewriter, which he used constantly to write letters home to the papers.

After returning to Soest and saying one last farewell to his "family," Dave returned to the United States to face a long line of lectures to various organizations in the community. After Dave had spoken to the S. C. A., giving his impressions and his views on the effectiveness of the plan, the organization voted on the subject of continuing the ambassador project. The motion to continue the project met with the members' approval and this summer, some junior will continue in Dave's place, striving for international understanding and friendship. For the junior who is chosen, being Community Ambassador will not only be a great personal honor, but an experience he or she will long remember. The friendships that the ambassador makes, both for himself and for his country, will be enduring ones.



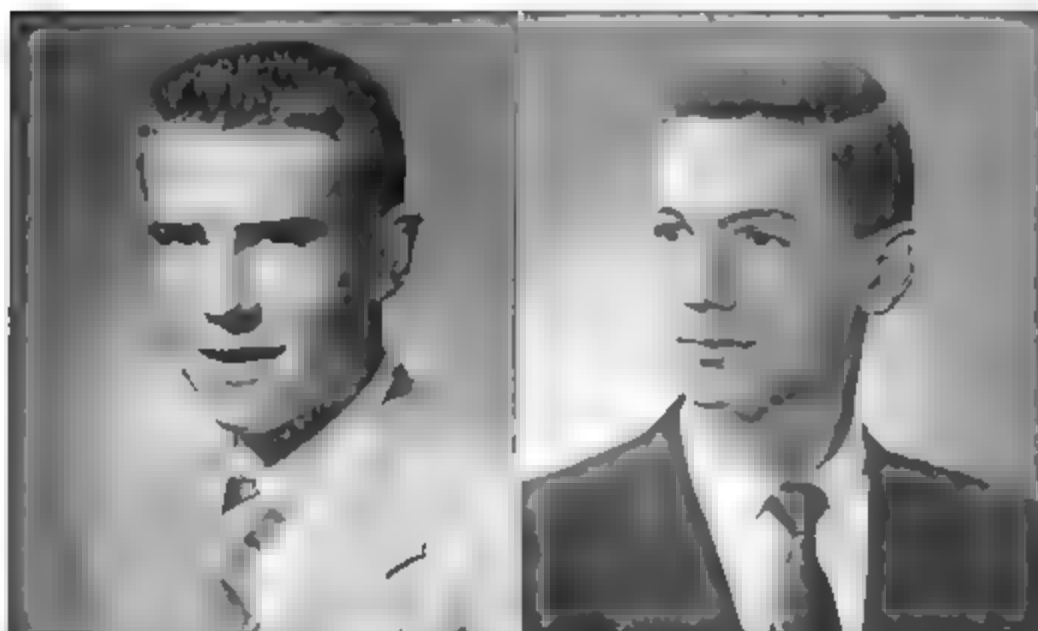
*"When in Rome . . ."*

*"The Meyers were my 'parents'."*



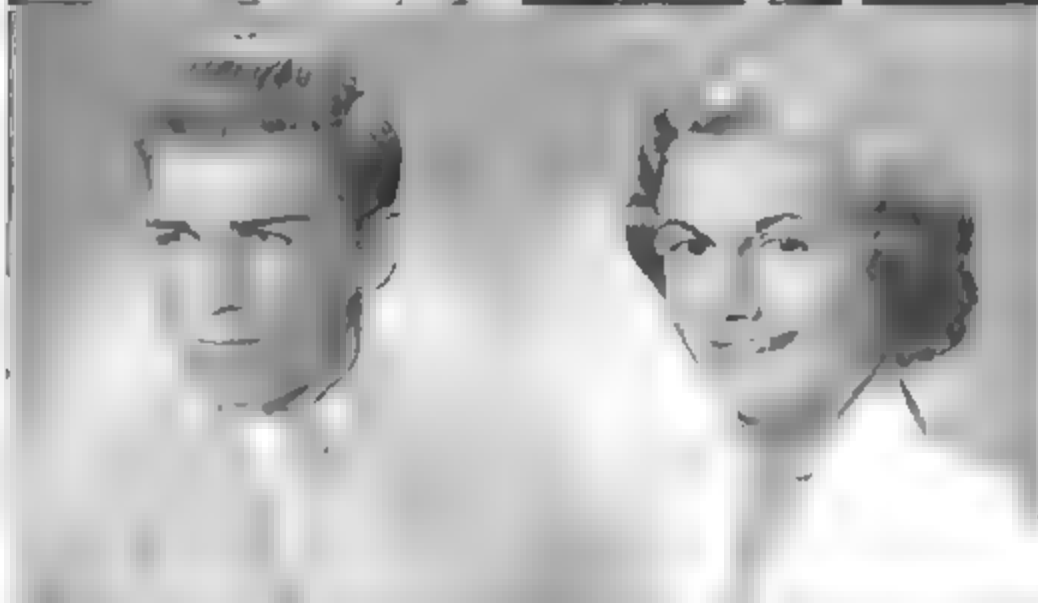
*"What Me? I'm an American!"*





**THEODORF VINCENT KRUCKEL** Ted  
1 Andover Lane Bethany  
Student Congress 2, Junior Prom, Fencing  
1, Shop Club 4, Football 3, Basketball  
1, 2, 3

**MARCUS N. LAMBADAKIS** "El Greco"  
16 Cove Drive Harvard  
National Honor Society; UN Pageant 3;  
Dramatics 2, 3, 4; MHSDG 3, 4, President  
3; Disciplinary Committee, Chairman 4;  
Latin Club 1, 4; English Club, President;  
Radio Workshop 4, Stage Craft 4; Science  
Club 1, 2, 3, President 3



**JAMES STUART LANE** Jim  
920 Plandome Road Northwestern  
Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2,  
3, 4, President 4, Dance Band 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Visual Arts 1, 2, 3; Lacrosse 1, 2

**GERALDINE LANG** Gerry  
86 West Drive Cortland  
Tutor; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Radio  
Workshop 3; Discussion Club 3, 4; Secre-  
tarial Club 4; Fencing 4, Sports Night  
1, 2, 3, 4, Head 4; Tumbling 1, 2, 3,  
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 4



**WALDEN H. LIVERICH, JR.** Wally  
10 The Ridge Colgate  
Club 3, 4, Photography Editor 4; Senior  
Prom; Bowling Club 3, 4; Football 1;  
Track 1, 2, 3, 4, Letter 2, 3, 4

**BETTY LEWIS** Bets  
27 Allen Drive Apex Beautician School  
Port Washington High School 1, 2; Chorus  
3, 4; Intercultural Club 4, Basketball 3, 4,  
Hockey 3



**PATRICIA ANN LINCOLN** Patsy  
7 Rollinghill Road St. Lawrence  
Student Congress 3, Building and Grounds  
Committee 3; Welcoming Committee 1,  
Tutor; Tutor Fashion Show; Tutor Hop,  
Junior Prom, Senior Prom, French Con-  
versation Club 3, 4; Spanish Club 4,  
English Club, Leaders' Club 3; Advanced  
French 4, Cheerleader 3, 4, Sports Night  
1, 2, 3, 4, Head 4, Shield 3; Tumbling  
1, 2, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, Volleyball 1;  
Softball 3, Horseback Riding 1, 2, 3,  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Reserve 3

**BRUCE HENRY LINDSAY** Linds  
21 Foxhurst Lane Cornell  
Dramatics 4, Soph Hop, Junior Prom,  
Senior Prom, Spanish Conversation Club 4,  
Discussion Club 4, Chess Club 4, Chem-  
istry Club 4, Football 1, 4, Letter 4,  
Lacrosse 2, 3, 4, Basketball 3

**ANNASTASIA LOPEZ** Annastasia  
85 Pond Hill Road Grace Institute  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Sports Night 1, 4.

**SANDRA JEAN MacWATT** Sandy  
93 Woodedge Road Bucknell  
*Tower Club*: Christmas Pageant 2; *Tower*  
Fashion Show, Soph Hop, Junior Prom,  
Senior Prom, German Club, Secretary 2;  
Discussion Club 3, 4; 3-25 Club 1, 2;  
Home Economics Club, Treasurer 3;  
Leaders' Club 2; Bridge Club 3; GAC,  
Secretary 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Sports  
Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Head 4; Shield 1; "M" 2;  
Star 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Soccer 1, 2;  
Bowling 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Volley-  
ball 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball  
1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4.

**ALICIA MARIJANT MAHONEY "Lish"**  
209 Ryder Road Cornell  
*Tower*: *Tower* Fashion Show; Chorus 4,  
Junior Prom; *Tower* Hop; French Con-  
versation Club 4; Intercultural Club 1, 2,  
3, 4, Chairman 4; Cheering Manager 3, 4;  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Shield 3; Hockey  
1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2; Volleyball 1, 2,  
3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1,  
Tumbling 1, 2, 3.

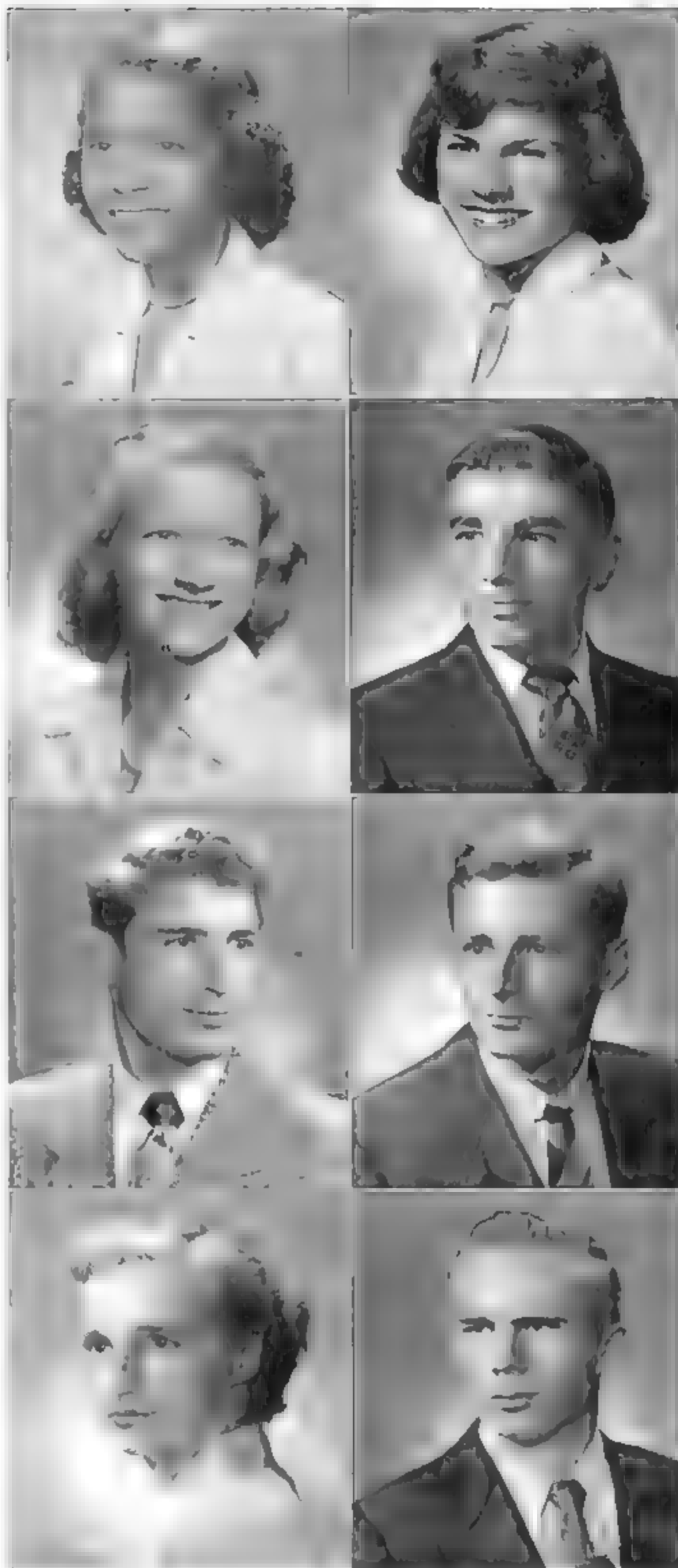
**JOHN JOSEPH MAKOWSKI** Jack  
41 Andrew Road Lehigh  
Xavier High School 1, 2; Dramatics 4;  
Discussion Club 4; Chemistry Club 4;  
Chess Club 4; Visual Arts 3; Camera  
Club 4.

**JACK CLIFFORD MAY** Jack  
97 Dorchester Drive Cornell  
South Kitsap 1, 2; G.O. Vice-President 4;  
Proctor; Christmas Pageant 4, Chorus 3, 4;  
Assembly Preview Committee 1; Spanish  
Conversation 4, Fencing 4; Football, Letter  
3, 4; Wrestling, Letter 3, 4; Track, Letter  
3, 4.

**THOMAS E. MAYNARD** Tom  
46 Westgate Boulevard Hobart  
Chefs Club 4, Chemistry Club 4; Fencing  
1.

**PATRICIA ANNE McCLURE** Pat  
70 South Drive Endicott  
*Club*: *Tower* Fashion Show; Christmas  
Pageant 1, Dramatics 4, Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom, Spanish Club  
3, 4, Discussion Club 4; 3-25 Club 4, Art  
Club 4, Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Head 4,  
Basketball 1, 2, Softball 1, 2.

**FRANCIS ROLAND McQUILLEN** Roly  
8 Fourth Street Adelphi  
Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, Band 1, 2, 3, 4,  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4, Dance Band 3, 4.







**ELIZABETH ANNE MESSICK** Anne  
131 Bourndale Road North

Bradford Junior  
Tutor; Dramatics 1, 4; Chorus 4; Soph  
Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Tutor;  
Hop; Spanish Conversation Club 3, 4;  
Radio Workshop 3; Discussion Club 3;  
3 25 Club 1, 3; Rifle Club 1; Intercultural  
Club 1; Bridge Club 3; Sports Night 1, 2  
3, 4; Hockey 1; Volleyball 2, 3

**BETH MEZZY** Betsy  
54 Sound View Crest

Cornell  
Student Congress 4; Building and Grounds  
Committee 1; Tutor; Club 1, 2, 3; Fashion  
Show; Chorus 2, 4; Soph Hop; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Tutor; Hop; Student-  
Faculty Committee 1, 2; Altman Fashion  
Board 4; Spanish Conversation Club 3;  
Discussion Club 3, 4; International Rela-  
tions Club 4; Sports Night 2, 3, 4; Basket-  
ball 1, 2; Softball 1, 2; Hockey 1

**WILLIAM C. MILLER** Bill  
109 Cove Drive

Stevens Tech  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom; English Club  
Discussion Club 4; Rifle Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Football 3, 4; Rifle 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 2, 3,  
4; Golf; Letter 3, 4

**ROLF MOER, JR.** Skiwan  
6 Foxcroft Road

Lehigh  
Student Congress 1; Student Court 1, 2, 3  
4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Chemistry Club 4; Fencing Club 4; Foot-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 3, 4; Basketball 1

**MARY ANN MORROW** Cissie  
186 Munsey Place

Middlebury  
St. Mary's 1; National Honor Society;  
Student Congress 2, 3; Secretary 3; Head  
of Proctors; Pupil Activity Committee 2  
Tutor; Soph Hop; Junior Ring Committee  
Chairman; Youth Center Committee  
Treasurer 4; Discussion Club 1; Cheer-  
leader 3, 4; Basketball 2

**DONALD WILLIAM MORTIMER** Don  
150 Plandome Rd. Oswego State Teachers'

Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Service Committee 1; Chef's Club; Presi-  
dent 1; Stage Craft 4; Shop Club 4;  
Lacrosse 1, 2; Letter 1, 3; Basketball;  
Letter 1

**CAROLE LUCILLE MUSER** Ma  
15 Woodland Way

Sargent  
Tutor; Club 4; Chorus 4; Soph Hop;  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Discussion  
Club 3, 4; French Club 2; Leaders Club  
2, 3, 4; President 4; Sports Night 1, 2  
3, 4; Head 4; Shield 2; 'M' 2; Star 3;  
Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 3, 4; Volleyball  
1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 4; Basketball; Honor  
3, 4; Lacrosse; Honor 2, 3, 4

**DORIS JUNE OLIVE** June  
217 Old Mill Road

Wood Secretarial  
Christmas Pageant 2; Library Council 1, 2  
Secretarial Club 4; Badminton 2, 3; Bowling  
1; Softball 2, 3, 4; Ice Skating 3, 4

**CAROL OSTFGRFN** Ostie  
229 Ascan Avenue, Forest Hills Cornell  
National Honor Society; Student Congress  
2; Class Treasurer 3; *Tower*, Senior Sec-  
tion Editor; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; MHSDG  
3, 4, Treasurer 1; Soph Hop, Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom, Youth Center Committee 3, 4,  
President 4; French Conversation Club 1,  
Discussion Club 3, 325 Club 1, 3, Presi-  
dent 3; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Head 4;  
Hockey 2, 3; Shield 2

**BORDEN W. PAINTER, JR.** Bordie  
60 Whistler Road Trinity  
National Honor Society; Justice 3; Student  
Congress 2, 4; Class Vice-President 4,  
*Tower*; Dramatics 4; Junior Prom, Senior  
Prom, French Conversation Club 3, Foot-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4, Letter 3, 4, Golf 3, 4

**GEORGE EDDY PARKER** George  
189 Ryder Road Cornell  
*Tower*; Dramatics 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Assembly Committee  
4; Disciplinary Committee; Visual Aids  
1, 2; Stage Craft 4; Soccer 3, 4, Letter 4,  
Football Manager 1, 2, 3, Letter 2.

**MARTHA ANN PARKER** "M"  
61 Shore Drive Sweet Briar  
St. Mary's High School 1, 2; Student  
Congress 4; *Tower*; Chorus 3, 4; Cheer-  
leader Manager 4; Junior Prom; Senior  
Prom; English Club; Discussion Club 3, 4,  
Fencing 4; Sports Night 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4,  
Softball 3, 4

**MICHAEL C. PASCUCCI** Senator  
5 Bruce Lane Bucknell  
St. Mary's High School 1; *Tower*; Discus-  
sion Club 3, 4; Fencing 4; Chemistry Club  
4; Chorus 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 4

**JOYCE CHARLOTTE PERRIN** Joyce  
181 Country Club Drive St. Lawrence  
*Tower*; Dramatics 2, 3; Soph Hop; Junior  
Prom, Senior Prom; *Tower* Hop, Discus-  
sion Club 4, Leaders' Club 3, 4; Cheer-  
leader 3, 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4, Head  
4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4, Honor 4, Softball  
1, 2, 3, 4, Volleyball 1, 2, 3; Shield 2  
M 3

**ELIZABETH ANNE PELUG** Betsy  
25 West Drive Mt. Holyoke  
Proctor, *Tower*; Orchestra 1, 2; Cheer-  
leader, Captain 3, 4; Soph Hop, Junior  
Prom, Senior Prom; French Conversation  
Club 4; Art Club 2, 3, GAC, Publicity  
Head; Majorette 1, 2, 3; Sports Night 1, 2,  
3, 4, Head 4, Hockey 2, 3, 4, Honor 3, 4,  
Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, Tennis 2, 3, Volleyball  
1, 2, 3, Basketball 2, 3; Shield 2; M 3

**PHYLLIS MIRIAM PFORR** Phyl  
147 Aldershot Lane William and Mary  
*Tower*, Chorus 4, Junior Prom; Senior  
Prom, French Conversation Club 4; Dis-  
cussion Club 3, Miss Novelty Club 4,  
Fencing 4, Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey  
1, 2, 3, Basketball 1, 4; Volleyball 1, 2





*Hey Waltzie!*



*The Wild One*



*First Nighter.*

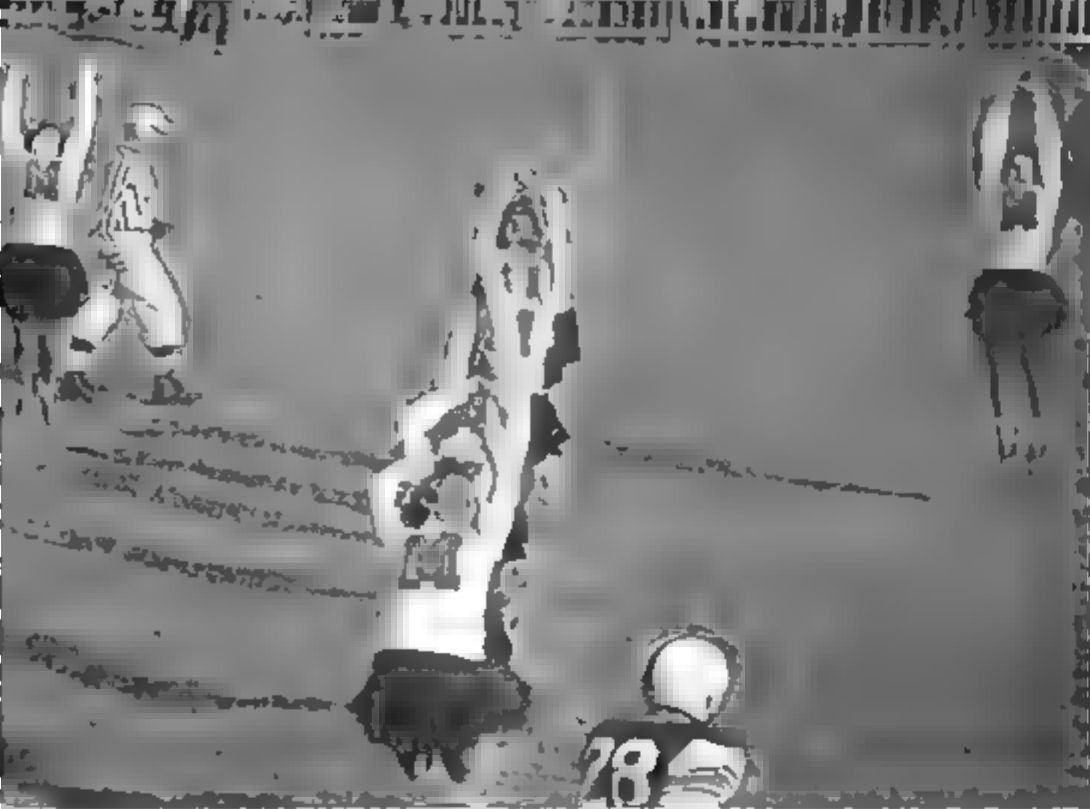


*Fascination*



*Muddy Massacre*





*Hey! Somebody grab Callan!*



*The Galloping Ghost.*



*R. C. Parallel to AB . . . that's the truth!*



*Why is John's Tray empty?*

*Bets pays her respects.*



*Hi, Mommy, look at little Eddie!*





**PHILIP PIERSON** Phil  
71 Kensett Road Iowa  
Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; MHSDG 2, 3, 4;  
Band 3; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; French  
Conversation Club 4; Radio Workshop 4;  
Art Club 2; Music Appreciation 1; Track  
1, 2, 3, 4

**PATRICIA ANN PLASTER** Patty  
681 Hunt Lane Centenary Junior  
Cub 1; Dramatics 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2;  
Chorus 1; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Spanish Conversation Club 3, 4; Mrs.  
Novelty Club 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Hockey 1; Basketball 1, 2; Softball 1, 2, 3;  
Tumbling 2; Volleyball 1, 2; Badminton 3

**MARILYN RANKIN**  
15 Middle Drive  
Cortlandt State Teachers College  
Tower; Dramatics 4; Christmas Pageant 2;  
4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Cheerleader 3, 4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; 325 Club 2; Art Club 1, 2;  
Leaders' Club 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3;  
Spanish Conversation Club 4; GAC Head  
4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2;  
3, 4; Honor 2, 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2; Tennis  
1, 2, 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball  
1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 2, 3, 4; Lacrosse 1, 2;  
3, 4; Manager 3; Volleyball 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Honor 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 2, 3;  
1; "M" 2; Star 3

**GARY WILLIAM RAUCH** Gary  
91 Castle Ridge Road Lafayette  
Student Congress 4; Service and Adminis-  
tration Committee 4; Chorus 4; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Tower Hop; German  
Club 2; Discussion Club 3, 4; Football  
1, 4; Football Club 4; Baseball 1, 3;  
Bowling 2; Lacrosse 4

**NANCY LEEDS RIMMERS** Nancy  
50 Foxhurst Lane Westminster  
Tower; Cub 4; Dramatics 3; Chorus 4;  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Tower Hop;  
Spanish Club 3, 4; Discussion Club 4;  
Home Economics Club 2; Tower Fashion  
Show; Cheerleader 3, 4; Sports Night 1,  
2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2;  
Volleyball 2, 3; Archery 2; Basketball 1;  
Shield 3

**ROBERT RHIFINS** Rheimsy  
66 Circle Drive  
Oakwood 1, 2; Rifle Club 3, 4

**CHARLES R. ROBERTS** Chuck  
6 Chester Drive Western Kentucky  
The Gunnery 3; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Discussion Club 3, 4; Chets Club 4; Foot-  
ball 1, 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 4; Lacrosse  
1, 2, 4

**BEVERLY JANE ROBINSON** Bev  
79 Onderdonk Avenue  
Dramatics 2; Chorus 4; Soph Hop; Radio  
Workshop 4; 325 Club 3, 4; Home Eco-  
nomics Club 2; Sports Night 2, 4; Tumb-  
ling 1, 2; Soccer 2; Volleyball 1



**ROBERTA IRENE SANDERSON** Bobbi  
181 Sussex Drive Middlebury  
National Honor Society; Dramatics 1, 2,  
3, 4; MHSDG 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3; Soph  
Hop; Junior Prom; French Conversation  
3, 4; Advanced French 4; Radio Workshop  
4; Science Club 3; Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Head 4; Tennis 1;  
Lacrosse 1; Tap Dance 1; Modern Dance  
1, 2; Hockey 1; Shield 3



**ROBERT CHARLES SCHIRLING** Bob  
15 Castle Ridge Road U. of Penna.  
Student Congress 4; Appropriations Com-  
mittee 4; Dramatics 3, 4; Christmas  
Pageant 4; Junior Prom; Assembly Com-  
mittee 3, 4; Chairman 4; Talent Show 3, 4;  
Spanish Conversation Club 1; English  
Club; Radio Workshop 3; Discussion Club  
3, 4; International Relations Club; Chair-  
man 1; Baseball 1; Tennis, Letter 2, 3, 4.



**RITA SCHMID** Rita  
51 Dennis Street Larch Junior  
Christmas Pageant 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3,  
4; Intercultural Club 1; Secretarial Club  
1; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3;  
Volleyball 3; Badminton 3; Soccer 1;  
Archery 1, 2; Basketball 3



**FLAVIA JOSEPHINE SEEGER** Flavia  
34 Summit Drive Southern Seminary  
Student Congress 1, 2; GO Dance Com-  
mittee 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman 4; Class  
Secretary 3; Proctor, *Tower*; Assistant Busi-  
ness Manager 4; *Tower* Fashion Show;  
Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom;  
Spanish Conversation Club 3, 4; Radio  
Workshop 3; Leaders Club 2, 3; Cheer-  
leader 3, 4; GAC Assistant Head 1;  
Majorette 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Reserve 2;  
Honor 3, 4; Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4; Basket-  
ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor 1; Softball 1, 2, 3;  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Head 4; Shield 1;  
M 2; Star 3

**RONALD SIMMONS** Ronnie  
58 Knickerbocker Road Kings Point  
Admiral Billard Academy 1, 2, 3; Rifle  
Club 4; Discussion Club 4; Fencing 4;  
Intramural Basketball 4

**CATHERINE R. SIMPSON** Kay  
113 Bourndale Road, North Wheaton  
*Tower*; Club 2, 3, 4; Exchange Manager 4;  
Christmas Pageant 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 4;  
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Council 2;  
Altman Fashion Board 4; English Club;  
Biology Club 2; Radio Workshop 1, 7; *new*  
Fashion Show; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Tumbling 1, 2, 3, 4; Badminton 2, 3.

**ERNEST SINGER** Ernie  
110-28 Beech Avenue Bard  
Club 3, 4; UN Pageant 3; French Club 2;  
French Conversation Club 3, 4; Discussion  
Club 4; Advanced French 4

**DUNCAN ALEXANDER SMITH** Smith  
32 Shelter Rock Road Dartmouth  
Junior Ring Committee; Spanish Club 3;  
Chemistry Club 4; Fencing 4; Basketball 1



**MILDRED SMITH** Milli  
 6 Crown Top Road Stanford  
 Dramatics 1, 2, 3, 4; MHSDG 2, 3, 4;  
 Christmas Pageant 2; UN Pageant 3; Li-  
 brary Council, Vice-President 1; Soph Hop;  
 Junior Prom; Senior Prom; French Con-  
 versation Club 2, 3; Spanish Conversation  
 Club 4; English Club; Radio Workshop  
 1, 3; Discussion Club 3, 4; Intercultural  
 Club 3; Bridge Club 3; Stage Craft 4;  
 Fencing 4; Sports Night 1, 2; Archery 1;  
 Riding 1

**ROBERT BARNARD SNOOK** Bob  
 15 Bayview Court Cornell  
 National Honor Society 4; Christmas Pageant  
 1; German Club 2; Chiefs Club 4; Chem-  
 istry Club 4; Soccer Club 3, 4; Lacrosse  
 Club 4; Soccer 1, 2, 4; Letter 3, 4;  
 Wrestling 3, 4; Letter 1; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4;  
 Football Manager 1

**MARTIN F. STEIN, JR.** Fritzie  
 531 Park Avenue Columbia  
 Welcoming Committee 4; Dramatics 4;  
 Chorus 4; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior  
 Prom; *Tower* Hop; Altman Fashion Board  
 4; Color Guard 4; German Club 1, 2, 3;  
 English Club; Discussion Club 3, 4; Read-  
 ing Clinic 4; Football Club 2, 3, 4; Foot-  
 ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2,  
 3, 4; Letter 3, 4

**ROBERT J. STEMMERMANN** Stemmy  
 18 Old Ox Road Colgate  
 Student Congress 2; Building and Grounds  
 2; *Tower*; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior  
 Prom; *Tower* Hop; Discussion Club 3, 4;  
 Chiefs Club 4; Chemistry Club 4; Football  
 1; Basketball 2; Baseball 1; Bowling 1, 2,  
 3, 4

**IDA LEONA STRONG** Leona  
 17 Vanderbilt Road Russell Sage  
*Tower*; Senior Prom; Spanish Conversation  
 3, 4; 3-25 Club 3, 4; Home Economics  
 Club 1, 2; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling  
 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Lacrosse 1;  
 Archery 1, 2; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Badminton  
 2, 4; Shield 2; M 3

**EDGAR R. STUHR** Big Ed  
 22 East Gate Princeton  
 Andrew Jackson High School 1, 2, 3;  
 Dramatics 4; Senior Prom; German Club  
 1; Rifle Club 4; Basketball; Letter 4

**PATRICIA ANN SULLIVAN** Pat  
 29 Revere Road Nursing School  
 Dominican Commercial 1; St. Mary's High  
 School 1, 2; Radio Workshop 3; Secretarial  
 Practice 4; Sports Night 1

**SEYMOUR ARTHUR SUTORIUS** Art  
 270 Thompson Shore Road Cornell  
 Mount Hermon 2; Band 1; Youth Center  
 1, 2, 3, 4; Spanish Conversation Club 4;  
 Football; Letter 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2

**JAMES W. TAYLOR**

Jim

86 Dartmouth Road

Student Congress 3; Dramatics 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Prom, Fining, Secretary 1; Music Appreciation Club 1, 2; Baseball 1; Tennis 1, 2

**BARBARA JEAN TERRY**

Bobby

37 Allen Drive

Hampton Institute

Port Washington High 1, 2; Dramatics 4; Chorus 3, 4; Intercultural Club 4; Secretarial Club 4

**BEVERLY JEAN TIDEMAN**

Bev

62 Woodedge Road

Cornell

*Tower*, Club 3, 4; News Editor 1; Dramatics 3, 4; U.N. Pageant; Soph Hop; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; French Club 2; Advanced French 1; French Conversation 3, 4; Discussion Club 3; 3:25 Club 2; Home Economics Club 1; Bridge Club 2, 3; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3; Tennis 1, 3; Basketball 2, 4; Softball 2; Volleyball 2, 3; Golf 1; Archery 1

**DIANE PAIGNE VAUGHT**

Di

61 Chapel Road

Centenary Junior

Chorus 3, 4; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; French 2; French Conversation 3, 4; Radio Workshop 4; 3:25 Club 3; Home Economics Club 2; Art Club 3; *Tower* Hop; Tap Dancing 2; Softball 2; Bowling 2; Soccer 1; Hockey 1; Sports Night 1, 2, 4

**HAROLD THEODORE VOLMER**

Harry

219 Mason Drive

Amherst

Intercultural Club 3; International Relations Club 4; Advanced French 4

**MARTHA KERR WADSWORTH**

Marty

54 Bourndale Road, North

Cornell

Snowden Junior High 1; Central High 2; *Tower*; Dramatics 4; Chorus 1; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Discussion Club 3; 3:25 Club 3; Rifle Club 4; Intercultural Club 4; Sports Night 3, 4

**JAMES WAGNER**

Jim

534 Park Avenue

U. of Wisconsin

National Honor Society, Class President 3; Vice-President 1, 2; Proctor, *Tower*, Editor-in-Chief; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; German Club 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 1, 2, 3, 4

**CAROL W. WADDORF**

Carol

370 Manhasset Woods Road

Vassar

*Tower*, Christmas Pageant 2; Senior Prom; *Tower* Hop; German Club 2, 3; English Club; Discussion Club 3; Chemistry Club 4; Science Club 4; Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Volleyball 3, 4; Badminton 1; Archery 1; Soccer 2







**BARRY WARNER WATTS** Wattsie  
41 Rockywood Road Bethany  
*Tower*; Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Spanish  
Conversation Club 1; Discussion Club 3;  
Youth Center 3, 4; Lacrosse 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Letter 1

**LINCOLN A. WERDEN** Line  
13 Revere Road Georgetown  
Club 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; French Club  
2; French Conversation Club 3, 4; English  
Club; Radio Workshop 3, 4; Chess Club 3;  
International Relations Club 4.

**JOHN VEACH WHITESIDE** Jack  
115 Dogwood Lane Cornell  
Christmas Pageant 4; Assembly Committee  
3; Visual Arts 2, 3, 4; Dance Gate Com-  
mittee 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman 3, 4

**AURELIA WICK** Aury  
76 Bay Driveway Columbia  
Goetheschule 1, 2; German Club 3; Inter-  
cultural Club 1; International Relations  
Club 4.

**HERMAN PAUL WIEGAND** Hermie  
54 Quaker Ridge Road M. I. T.  
National Honor Society; Band 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Orchestra 3, 4; Chorus 2; Fencing 1

**CAROL JEAN WILLS** Willie  
93 Bournemouth Road North Wellesley  
National Honor Society; *Tower*; Assistant  
Photography Editor; Club 1, 2, 3; Dramatics  
3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Soph. Hop;  
Junior Prom; Senior Prom; Student Faculty  
1; Disciplinary Committee 1; French Club  
2; French Conversation Club 3; English  
Club; Discussion Club 3; Art Club 2;  
Sports Night 1, 2, 3, 4; Head 4; Majorette  
3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3; Bowling 1, 2; Volley-  
ball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Badminton  
Manager 2; Softball 1, 2; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4.

**JANET WOLFE** Janet  
71 Dartmouth Road U. of Maryland  
*Tower*; Club 4; Chorus 3, 4; Junior Ring  
Committee; Soph. Hop; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; Student Faculty Committee  
1, 2; Youth Center 3; Spanish Conversa-  
tion 4; English Club; Discussion Club 3;  
Intercultural Club 3, 4; Sports Night 1, 2;  
3, 4; Head 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Soccer  
1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling  
1, 2; Softball 1, 2; Badminton 3

**JAY BRADLEY WRIGHT** Brad  
267 Ryder Road Yale  
Student Congress 1; Building and Grounds  
Committee 1, 4; Class Vice President 3;  
President 1; Proctor; Dramatics 1, 2;  
Christmas Pageant 2; Soph. Hop; Junior  
Prom; Senior Prom; Youth Center 3;  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letter 2, 3, 4; Basket-  
ball 2; Luck 1, 2, 3; Letter 2, 3

CAROL JANE ZIGNONE      Ziggy  
85 Chapel Road      Vassar

*Tower*, Christmas Pageant 1, Chorus 3,  
Soph Hop, Junior Prom; Senior Prom,  
Youth Center 2, 3; Discussion Club 3, 4,  
Intercultural Club 3, 4, International Rela-  
tions Club 4; Bridge Club 3, Sports Night  
1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, Volleyball 1, 3,  
Basketball 1, 3.

GEORGE THOMAS ZULLO      Pasqual  
47 Stonchenge Road      Ohio State

St. Mary's High School 1; Junior Prom;  
Senior Prom; Radio Workshop 2, Chemistry  
Club 4; Rifle Club 2; Rifle 2, 4, Track  
1, 2, Intramural Basketball 2, 4



## STATELY TOWER OF MANHASSET

O stately Tower of Manhasset  
Our memory ever will recall  
The happy days we spent together  
Within thy broad and classic halls.  
While students gather 'round thine  
altars  
With tributes of devotion true,  
And mingle merry hearts and voices  
In praise of orange and blue.





MHS

1. *Perennial Bachelor*—Jack Whiteside
2. *Most Likely to Succeed*—Carol Ostergren
3. *Most Likely to Succeed*—Dave Dantzschner
4. *Most Unpredictable*—Martha Parker
5. *Best Athlete*—Eddie Corley
6. *Best Athlete*—Carol Mushier
7. *Coquette*—Sandy MacWatt
8. *Personality Plus*—Burdie Painter
9. *Personality Plus*—Janet Wolfe
10. *Most Talented*—Debbie Fanto
11. *Hungriest*—Don Klages
12. *Best Dressed*—Pat Dougal
13. *Best Dressed*—Fritzie Stein
14. *Done Most for M. H. S.*—Cissie Morrow
15. *Done Most for M. H. S.*—Marc Brugnoni
16. *Most Energetic*—Cocoa Ferguson
17. *Best Looking*—Charlie Roberts
18. *Best Looking*—Barbara Greig
19. *Friendliest*—Judy Dawidoff
20. *Class Menace*—Ted Kruckel
21. *Most Popular*—Jim Wagner
22. *Most Popular*—Cynthia Harris
23. *Crooner*—Pat Callan





JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Left to right—J. Mattson, S. Handley, G. Lawrence  
D. Lane

## *Junior Class*

JUNIOR year—dull!! We should say not. At least not for the energetic class of '55. Brains, talent, looks, spirit, and pep were all abundant in this class led by capable Dick Lane, their president.

When report card time came around, Johnny Allen, Liv Fagereng and Bob Jacob were always on the honor roll with all A's and B's.

Talent was bursting out all over in this class. The piano playing of Judy Thompson; the dramatic ability of Gail Emerick, Kitty Gleeson, and Claudia Liebrecht; the beautiful singing of the girls' trio, consisting of Marcia Brown, Martha Fincke and Joanne Mattson, brightened our days in MHS.

The halls of MHS were kept lively between classes with the sweet crooning of Dick Fiducia, the "casual" conversations between Connie Viani and Patsy Petersen and the friendly "hellos" of Maureen Miller from down the hall.







Wasn't it once said that juniors didn't go out for activities? No one could say this was true of the class of '55. During the activity period, we found Wendy Weber writing out checks for the G. O., Barbara Tarbell taking Student Congress minutes, Jane Conway working on the *Cub*, and Frank Bessell organizing a drive for the Service Committee.

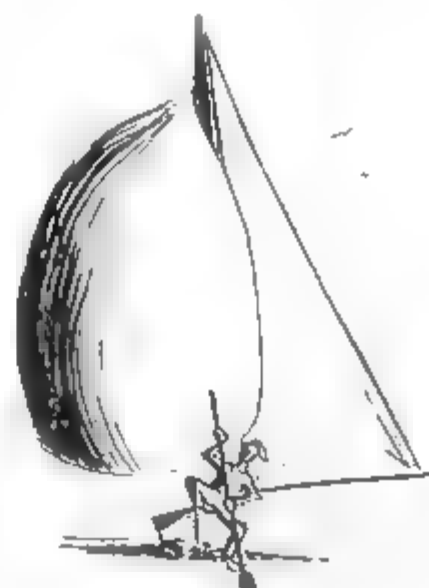
On Saturdays, Eddie Logue and Bruce Maxian starred in many a football play. Later in the season, Bob Rogan and Joe Corley were mainstays of the varsity basketball team. The girls, not to be outdone by the boys, have had their share of feminine athletics. Sue Brink, Barbara Dunning and Peggy Bruck claimed some of the credit in this field.

Along with the other qualities, this class had its share of Romcos and Julicts. Many an underclass girl fell for the charm and looks of Bruce Fowle, Dick Fiducia and Johnny Allen. The upper-class girls also felt the strong competition given

them by such junior beauties as Wendy Weber, Claudia Liebrecht and Sue Voight.

The class of '55 as seniors, we know, will uphold the traditions entrusted to them by all the classes who, as envied and honored seniors, once led the students of MHS.

We wish smooth sailing to a wonderful class, the class of '55.





## *Sophomore Class*

### SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

*Left to right* D. Masial, C. Enloe, P. Wahlert, B. Conkey.



**D**YNAMIC on the athletic field! Outstanding in musical talent! Brilliant in academic achievement! The versatile class of '56 has innumerable qualities to be acclaimed. Led by Bob Conkey, their president, the sophomore class has participated with spirit and determination in every aspect of campus activities. Their enthusiastic contributions to the lively social and scholastic pattern of school life will always remain in the memory of those with whom they came in contact.

Greatly responsible for the fine season enjoyed by the football team in 1953 were Bill Seagrott, Steve Johnson, Denny Fuller, Bob Flance, Chet Skinner, and Bob Heiman. And for the second consecutive year, Charlie Green tipped in baskets for the varsity team.

On the distaff side were Nancy Tannehill and Cynthia Enloe who led the way down the hockey field. Close at their heels in girls sports were Holly Arnell, Mary Ellen Wheatley and Clara Chicosky.



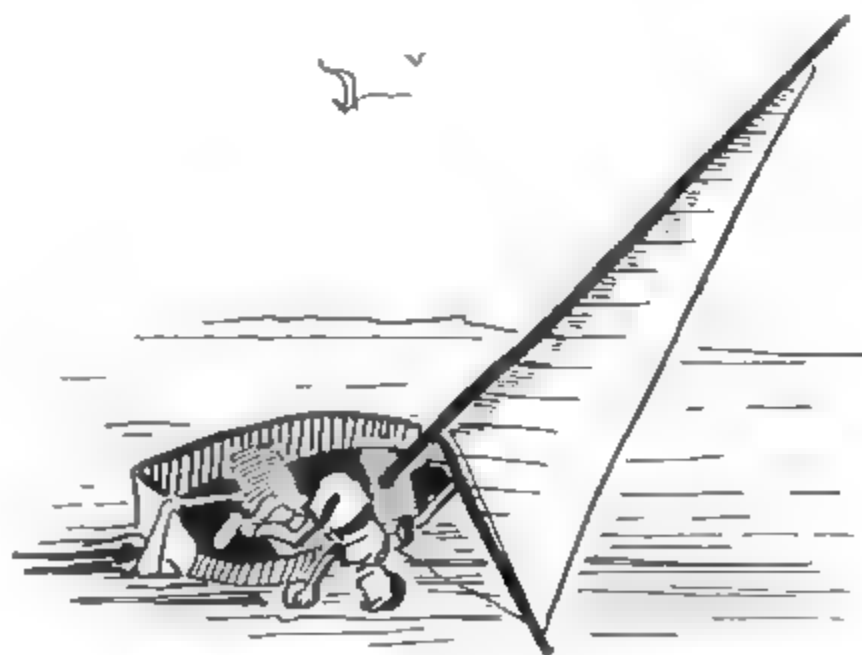
Attending the All-State Sectional Orchestra were Jay Bowditch, assistant concert master; Marisa Schaumann, first chair viola; Leslie Sutorious, solo trumpet; Bruce Pinkernell, violinist. Steve Johnson, Dick Dunn, Laddie Soucek, Don Rowland and Fred Ducey combined their talents in the State Sectional Band and Penny Miller was a member of the All-State Choir.

Barbara McFarlane, Jay Bowditch, Steve Dantscher, Seigrun, Dinkluge, Reed Browning, Phyllis Wahlert, Peter Werden and Muff Thompson found time to achieve outstanding scholastic recognition, notwithstanding the many hours they spent in diligently and faithfully building the backbone of sophomore activities.

Karen Stiegler led the energetic sophomores to class victory in the annual magazine sale by helping them become the only class to reach the \$1500 quota.

"Ready, willing and able," should be the sophomore class motto! One hundred ninety strong, and they are strong—strong in class unity and in school spirit, in initiative and in scholastic achievements.

To a class with such ability and teeming potential we wish many pleasant voyages in the next two years.



# CTIVITIES





## COMMITTEES OF STUDENT CONGRESS

### ATHLETIC COMMITTEE

*Top row—C. Rose, R. King. Bottom row—  
K. Williams, C. Endic*



### RULES COMMITTEE

*Left to right—J. Van Arsdale, U. Hubitz,  
D. Fuller*

### APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

*Top row—B. Shirling, B. Jacobs, B. Buc-  
holz, S. Handley. Bottom row—M. Parker,  
E. True.*



### BUILDING AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE

*Top row—D. Musial, P. Werden, M.  
Brewer, B. Furno. Bottom row—B. Mezey,  
B. Brown*

### PUPILS ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

*Top row—R. Kasnitz, J. Allen, D. Lane  
Bottom row—D. Richards, B. Painter*

### SERVICE AND ADMINISTRATION

*Top row—J. Persons, N. Arnell, G. Rauch,  
P. Leverich, B. Conkey, B. Maxian. Bottom  
row—M. Thompson, Z. Walker*





MARC BRUGNONI  
G. O. President

## Spring

CONVERTIBLES arrived at school with the tops down, boys wore clean white bucks, teachers opened classroom windows. Yes, spring had come to MHS, and in the spring time, a young man's fancy turns to love. In MHS last spring, the young men's fancies turned toward receiving bids to the Soph Hop, *The Purple Grotto*. Joanne Mattson was chairman and helping her to create the delightfully eerie atmosphere were Gail Lawrence, Frank Bessel, Gail Emrick, Barbara Dunning, Jane Persons, and Nancy Mellor.

In March jubilant *Cub* editors announced that the *Cub* had received a "one" rating for the second consecutive year from the Columbia Press Association. In that same month we attended the annual Spring Concert and as always the band, orchestra, and chorus gave excellent performances. Our concert orchestra achieved a "one" rating at the State Competition Festival and an additional honor when it played at Hofstra College.

The juniors sold refreshments at the Spring Concert. It is doubtful if the lemonade crew will forget how the punch was made and how at the last minute someone had to buzz downtown to get some bottle openers.

MHS students gained outside recognition when Bill Stanforth appeared on television three times; Alicia Mahoney represented MHS in the B. Altman fashion show; Don Mortimer won first and second prizes for exhibits in the Long Island Industrial Arts Association Contest; the junior cheer-

leaders received high ratings at a cheering tournament.

After several weeks of frantic rehearsals, the girls presented their Annual Sports Night. The novel entrances presented a dilemma: who *could* choose between the Orange "College Daze" and the Blue "Snow White?"

In April, the G. O. elections, held earlier because of a constitutional amendment, became the topic of conversation and the traditional campaigning was evident in lit-up posters, Burma Shave signs, and slogans like "Cocoa's a natural" and "Spark with Marc." Candidates gave speeches and the citizens of MHS went to the polls. Marc Brugnoni was thrilled when he was proclaimed G. O. president at the Election Dance on April 7. It was a wonderful evening, too, for Jack May, the new veep; Cocoa Ferguson, chairman of Student Congress; Barbara Tarbell, secretary of Student Congress; Cynthia Harris, treasurer; Wendy Weber, assistant treasurer; Claudia Liebrecht, secretary of Student Council; Ed Corley, chief justice, and Jim Wagner, head of proctors.

As the warm weather approached, we saw the junior girls, eating and sleeping on the lawn at noon and we heard Pat Callan's voice echoing "melodiously" through the halls. The spring project of the Assembly Preview Committee was a variety show given for the students. Bill Ross, M. C., introduced the best in MHS talent.

No one present in Room 30 during fifth period junior social studies class will forget Barbara Greig's daily versions of American history. Mr. Metzger still remembers Cissie Morrow's fifty yard

COCOA FERGUSON  
Chairman of Student Congress





#### G. O. COUNCIL

*Bottom row, left to right—C. Morrow, C. Liebrecht, W. Weber, C. Harris. Top row—Mr. L. Nannini, J. May, M. Brugnoli, Mr. A. Ganley*

dash to get a paper to his door "before the stroke of midnight."

The junior class had to vote to choose the *Tower* editors. Jim Wagner was elected editor-in-chief with Dave Dantzcher as associate editor; Bill Hess, business manager, with Flavia Seeger as assistant; Don Klages, photography editor with Carol Wills as assistant; Debby Fanto, art editor; Carol Ostergren, senior section editor; and Ann Dunning, typing editor.

On Tuesday, May 19, baseball fans watched the student team subdue the Faculty "Ballhawks" at the very end of a hilarious game. The Service Committee, sponsors, aided Dutch Flood Relief with the proceeds. The "Ballhawks," coached by "All-Star" Voigt, included athletes Cooke, Hettler, Metzger, Nannini, Applegate, and Krueger.

Early in January plans had begun to crystalize for the long-awaited Junior Prom. As May 22 drew near, elegant posters appeared, colorful balloons hung from The Tree and Pring Productions went into action to announce the magnificent Coronation Ball. The night of the prom, the gym was decorated in true royal style thanks to Bobbi Sanderson, Betsy Pflug, and their Decorations Committee. At midnight, Cynthia Harris and Brad Wright walked up the long red carpet to their thrones where they were crowned. Carol

Ostergren was in charge of tickets; Bill Redding, entertainment; Don Klages, refreshments; and Judy Dawidoff, publicity. Congratulations went to Marc Brugnoli, chairman of the prom. The new GAC officers were elected late in the spring. Marilyn Rankin was chosen by the girls as head; Flavia Seeger, assistant head; Betsy Pflug, publicity; Ann Zorbough, assistant secretary. Sandy MacWatt, the former assistant secretary, automatically became secretary.

At about the same time, the MHSDG officers were announced with Marcus Lambadakis as president; Debby Fanto, vice president; Ann Kieswetter, secretary; Carol Ostergren, treasurer; and Dave Dantzcher, trustee in charge of props and costumes. And the very enjoyable square dances and a sports tournament at the Youth Center provided something to do on weekends.

As students read the last *Cub* they observed that the new staff had edited it. Judy Dawidoff was the editor-in-chief; Bev Tideman, news editor; Bucky Bucholz, editorial editor; Jane Conway, feature editor; Gail Lawrence and Fred Gurzler, girls' and boys' sports respectively; Wally Leverich, photography editor; Penny Cross, rewrite editor; Carol Vieth, headline editor; Lois Holmberg, beat slip editor; Bob Steinmetz, cartoonist; Katie Broemmer, business manager; John Huffard, as-

sistant business manager; Dave Daniels, circulation manager; and Kay Simpson, exchange manager.

Class officers were elected in the spring and the senior class president was to be Brad Wright with "Bordenia de Gardenia" Painter, vice-president. The other two officers for the senior class in the fall were Ann Dunning, treasurer, and Judy Dawidoff, secretary. The senior justices in the fall would be Dave Dantzcher and Rolf Moe.

The sophomores elected Dick Lane, president with Joanne Mattson, Gail Lawrence, and Steve Handley to assist him in leading the juniors in their third year. Bob Conkey was to be the president of the sophomore class in the fall and Cynthia Enloe, Phyllis Wahlert and Dave Musial were to be his able assistants.

Cissie Morrow, Jim Wagner, Marc Brugnoni, Jack May, Brad Wright, Judy Dawidoff, Don Klages, Betsy Pflug, Flavia Seeger, Cocoa Ferguson, and Debby Fanto were to roam the halls and and parking lots as the newly-elected members of the proctor squad.

Toward the end of June the Manhasset Art Association gave awards to art students on the

basis of work done in class. Andy Stewart won first prize; Cynthia Harris, second, and Joan Canfield, third.

At the awards assembly in the auditorium, many students received recognition for doing exceptional work. Cynthia Harris won the Elmira Key for being the outstanding junior girl and Harold Volmer won an award for being first in the state, excluding New York City, in an examination given by the National Association of Teachers of French.

On the evening of June 22, the auditorium was filled with parents, relatives, and friends. Yes, graduation had finally come, the climax of four years of high school. The seniors were officially graduated when Mr. Howard and Mr. Moore handed out the precious diplomas. The commencement ended when the seniors sang "Oh Stately Tower of Manhasset" which brought tears to many eyes.

After the commencement ceremonies the School Community Association gave the Senior Frolic for the seniors. The theme, kept a secret until that

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#### CUB STAFF

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## Publications

### *Cub Reporter*

EVERY three weeks or so, when school is in session, enlightened MHS scholars flock to collect their *Cubs* and read the latest news and features. If they are egotists, they look for their pictures; if not, they look for pictures of their friends. Although the *Cub* is read with avid interest, probably few of its readers comprehend the mysterious processes involved in its publication or realize the work that goes into the writing, dummying, or editing of it. Asking members of the staff such as Editor-in-chief Judy Dawidoff, Photography Editor Wally Leverich, Editorial Editor Bucky Bucholz, "Faithful Fred" Gurzler, or "Get-the-news" Tideman about the *Cub Reporter* is likely to result in tales of headlines printed upside down, missing articles, and untaken photos. In reality, however, with the help of Mrs. Aubeck and Mr. Philips, the *Cub* appears regularly with a minimum of errors and is enthusiastically received by both the student body and the faculty.

### *Tower*

Having passed through the period of being freshmen, most MHS students realize that when someone refers to the *Tower*, he is not speaking of a part of the illustrious citadel of learning that is MHS, but is referring rather to our completely delightful publication which appears every year in June. The publication is produced by a mysterious group of rather intense people who call themselves *Tower* editors. This elite little group is elected by every junior class in the spring, the only requirements being that the candidates are literate and



JIM WAGNER  
*Tower* Editor-in-chief



JUDY DAWIDOFF  
*Cub* Editor-in-chief





#### TOWER EDITORS

*Bottom row, left to right*—Miss F. Wilkinson, Miss D. Norian, Advisors; C. Willis, C. Osterren, F. Steger, D. Fanto, A. Dunning. *Top row*—W. Hess, D. Klages, D. Dantzsch, J. Wagner, Editor-in-Chief.

that they have at least two activities that conflict with the *Tower*. Without the latter clause the two advisors, Miss Wilkinson and Miss Norian, would be bored to death. The editors meet habitually in Room 69 every Thursday during the activity period to thrash out the problems involved in putting out the book.

Threats of a mimeographed *Tower* because of a lack of advertisements, speculation as to what has happened to the now long-overdue narrative, puzzlement over which activity is more important for the Senior Section, and discussion as to whether the *Tower* Hop should be called Bachelors' Dilemma or Bachelors' Delight are all in a day's work. Generally, though, all the editors, members of the narrative and typing staffs and ad sellers recover from their nervous breakdowns in time to enjoy the yearbook when it comes off the press and are willing to admit it was worth all the work and strain they endured.



#### CUB EDITORS

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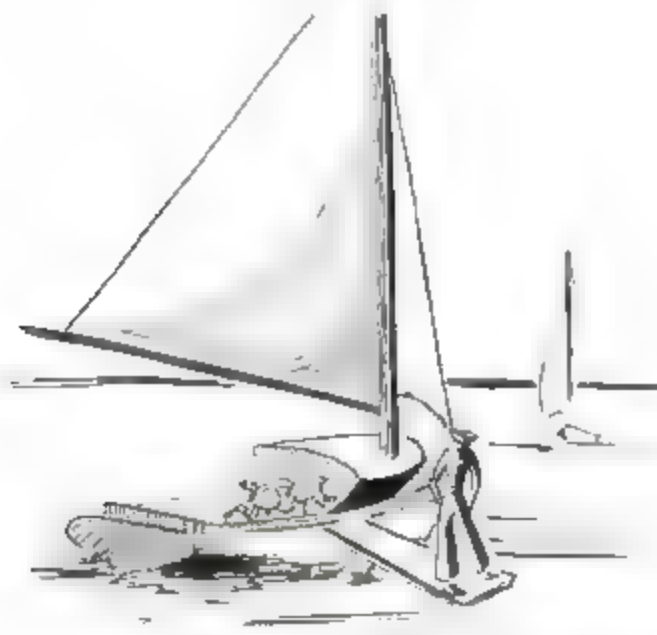
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night, was "Penthouse in Manhattan."

Vacation had come again and MHS students started planning their summer. At this time Dave Dantzschler made ready for his trip to Germany as the MHS student ambassador.

Now that spring was over, we looked back with a feeling of nostalgia on the things we had done and the wonderful times we had had. In the fall, all but the seniors would return to a school with many new changes: A new gym, a new cafeteria, many new classrooms, but no freshmen.



## Fall

"I CAN'T stand it! Has it really happened?" Similar cries were heard all over the dust-filled campus of MHS on opening day. The dear old place had really changed over the summer. Things were different this year. The students didn't appear with bleary, sleep-closed eyes. No, they had not gone to bed at seven o'clock the night before; school had opened at one instead of the usual eight forty-five. The senior girls were already looking for rides to Jones Beach. They were all set to depart, when someone said that it was time to go in. Reluctantly, we silently ushered ourselves in to hear Mr. Howard's welcoming "chat." A familiar figure appeared on the stage acting in a new capacity. Mr. Naninni had been elevated to assistant in charge of activities. He had set up shop in Room 61 (which, when translated, means old Room 1), along with Mr. Tanner who was back as parole officer. Sixty-one became known as H. Q. with Mrs. Sherrill as desk-sergeant.

During the course of the opening ceremonies someone said, "Hey, where's Betty?"

"Up stairs."

Sure enough the senior girls had contracted an early case of senior-itis and were being freshmen for a day.

Many other things were different. We looked around and found that our little school house had doubled or even tripled in size. The new junior high wing was like the Waldorf-Astoria. Those plush rooms—fourteen of them exclusively for the "little ones." And that beautiful new gym! Well, at least they didn't give that to the junior high. In spite of all the improved facilities we still missed the freshmen. The halls somehow seemed quieter and the "shelf" seemed different without them. Even the biggest senior had to admit that he missed that lowest class.

However, we didn't have much time to get nostalgic, for things started rolling right away. Though there weren't any ninth graders, the school was full of "freshmen." The new numbering system did a good job of thoroughly confusing everyone, including the faculty. Some sophomores groaned. They had just gotten used to the old numbers; now they had to start all over again to learn new ones.

After a few days of school Ted Kruckel remarked that we needed a road map to find our way through the "Maze." Sure enough, the next day we received maps of the school which just



ED CORLEY  
Chief Justice

goes to prove that the students' wish is the administration's command.

While we were all getting used to our new surroundings, the activities started in full swing. Mr. Naninni made sure that everyone's needs were filled, even if he had to fill them with study halls.

Was *everyone* in the Fencing Club? What attracted them? Mr. Prunhuber's outfit? Fencing was just one of the new activities. The Chefs Club made a big hit, with Bob Stemmerman and Charles Roberts, ardent supporters and defenders of that worthy organization. The new teachers pitched

#### STUDENT COURT

*Left to right—J. Corley, Miss L. Webb, Advisor, Ed Corley, R. Moe, D. Dantzcher, J. Wheatley, R. Browning*







#### COLOR GUARD

*Left to right—D. Drummer, D. Daniels, M. Brewer,  
F. Stein*

right in and held up their share of the activity program. Mr. Molava took the reins of the newly-organized International Relations Club and Mr. Seaman took over the Camera Club. School was in full swing again.

Along with the clubs, fall sports began in earnest. The football team had visions of another perfect season. Jim Wagner again called the signals, while Brad Wright, Seymour Sutorius, and Bob King led ball-carriers Don Klages, Ed Corley, and Bill Hess to an almost perfect season. The Indians had only one gloomy Saturday night as a result of their unsuccessful Farmingdale venture. The season gave us two more all-scholastic players, Brad Wright and Jim Wagner, who added their names to the already long list of Manhasset football immortals.

When a team is good, it's because of the material; when it's poor, it's the coach's fault. In Manhasset, we seem to have gotten the best combination of material and coaches. Under the direction of Mr. Walsh our team did a praiseworthy job. However, Mr. Walsh had one fault. He couldn't add. We all remember that "cool" Garden City game. In the last few minutes of play when

#### PROCTORS

*Left to right—E. Seeger, D. Fanto, C. Morrow, B. Pflug, J. Dawidoff, C. Ferguson, C. Harris,  
M. Brugnoli, D. Klages, J. May, B. Wright, Mr. C. Hoffman, Advisor*





#### NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

*Seated*—C. Wills, B. Feuss, J. Arps, B. Sanderson, J. Huppock, A. Kieswetter, Mr. Vassilw, Advisor *Standing*—C. Ostergren, M. Brugnani, J. Dawidoff, H. Volmer, B. Painter, C. Harris, B. Snook, H. Wiegand, M. Lambadakis, R. Detels, C. Morrow, D. Daniels, D. Dantzcher  
*Not pictured*—J. Wagner

the score was 30-25 and the Trojans were knocking on our door. Mr. Walsh turned to Mr. Hettler and asked, "If they make a touchdown, will we still be ahead?"

Some people attributed the successful season to Mr. Hettler's red tie. This charm described as "Hettler's Hex on the 'Hopposition" was later preserved for posterity in the trophy case.

While the athletic teams were chalking up victory after victory (well, some of them were), our General Organization launched the annual G. O.

card sale. Jack May ran a successful campaign for the senior high as well as an additional card sale for the junior high. The cost of living rose somewhat in MHS with a three dollar card. The rise was due to the fact that the fall production, starring Bobbi Sanderson and Judy Batson in *Our Hearts Were Young and Gay*, was included among the activities that could be attended without additional charge by G. O. card holders.

Dave Dantzcher our MHS "foreign correspondent" was a busy man. In addition to chasing the

#### FENCING CLUB







#### INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

*Bottom row left to right*—L. Rankin, J. Golsner, J. Wolfe, K. Baylis, A. Wick, Mr. J. Molava, Advisor  
*Top row*—B. Schirling, M. Peters, B. Henderson, D. Davis, J. Price, L. Werden.

writers for the *Tower*, to get the narratives written, every other day he was leaving school to speak to local organizations about his travels. He finally found time to relate his experiences to us in two very enjoyable and enlightening assembly programs. Of course, we can't forget the "Colgate 13" and the fellow on the end with the deep voice. For weeks everyone went around singing *Oh, Happy Day*. However, the assembly program was topped off by our very own talent show.



#### RADIO WORKSHOP

*Kneeling*—J. Perrin, M. Bockus, K. Simpson, C. Conner, A. Kieswetter, *Standing*—Mrs. V. Hansen, Advisor, B. Wesley, J. Batson, B. Kleinbecker, B. Sanderson, M. Smith, R. Werden.

After a brief rest from the G. O. card sale, the Council started making plans for the annual magazine sale that began on November 30. The sale was sparked by new and more attractive prizes and by the race between the juniors and the seniors—the race that the sophomores won. Students swarmed all over Manhasset looking for stuffed dogs. Ann Dunning and Barbara Ficken found Mrs. Stuffed Dog and Barry Watts and Gail Angus located two of the puppies. Mrs. S. Dog was sad.

#### CHOIR

*Seated, left to right*—B. Robinson, S. Eichelberger, J. Thompson, K. Broemmer, B. Ficken, M. Murray, *Second row*—Mr. F. Axtell, Advisor, J. Oliphant, E. Corley, M. Nix, P. Hughes, C. Skinner, A. Martin, C. Skinner, *Top row*—B. Lewis, M. Fincke, K. Simpson, M. Bockus, B. Holzbog, R. Martin.





CONCERT BAND

however, because one of her brood had not been found. Besides the satisfaction gained in reuniting this wonderful family, the amateur dog catchers were given substantial rewards for their finds. Everyone benefited from this year's sale. The residents got their magazines, the classes, the Youth Center, the *Cub* and the G. O. replenished their treasuries and Judy Dawidoff met the "handsomest married man who bought two subscriptions" from her.

The annual rush to the guidance office began early in the year. Miss Crane became almost as difficult to see as Jack Whiteside. Evidently Man-

hasset is going to be well represented next fall at Cornell. It seemed that every senior applied there. Alicia Mahoney, the brave soul, took her College Boards in December just so that the scores would arrive at Cornell a little early. And how many colleges did Fritzie Stein apply to before he finally decided to honor Columbia with his presence? Then there was Judy Daniels who aroused our admiration because she was the first to be accepted at college. Roger Detels a senior? Sure enough! He had arranged for his graduation to take place in three years instead of the usual four.

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CONCERT ORCHESTRA





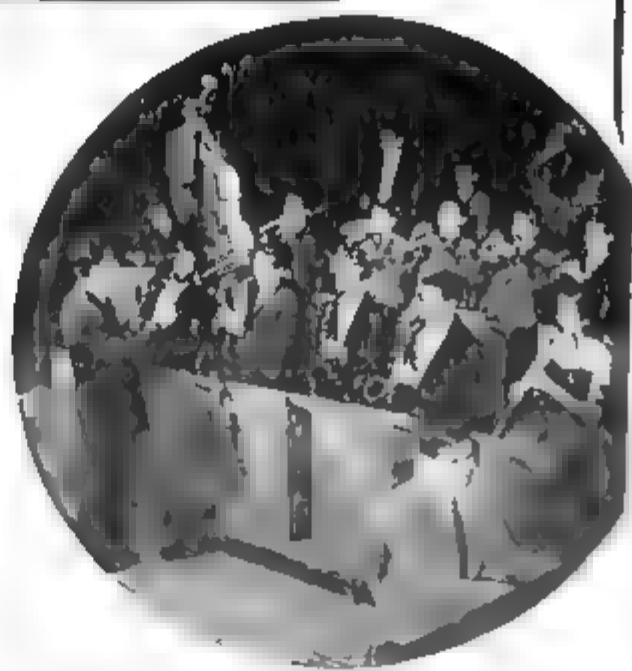


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*M* is for *Melodious* music.  
*U* is for *Unsurpassed* strutters.  
*S* is for *Symphonic* Chaos  
*I* is for *Instrumental* harmony  
*C* is for that *Crazy* rhythm.

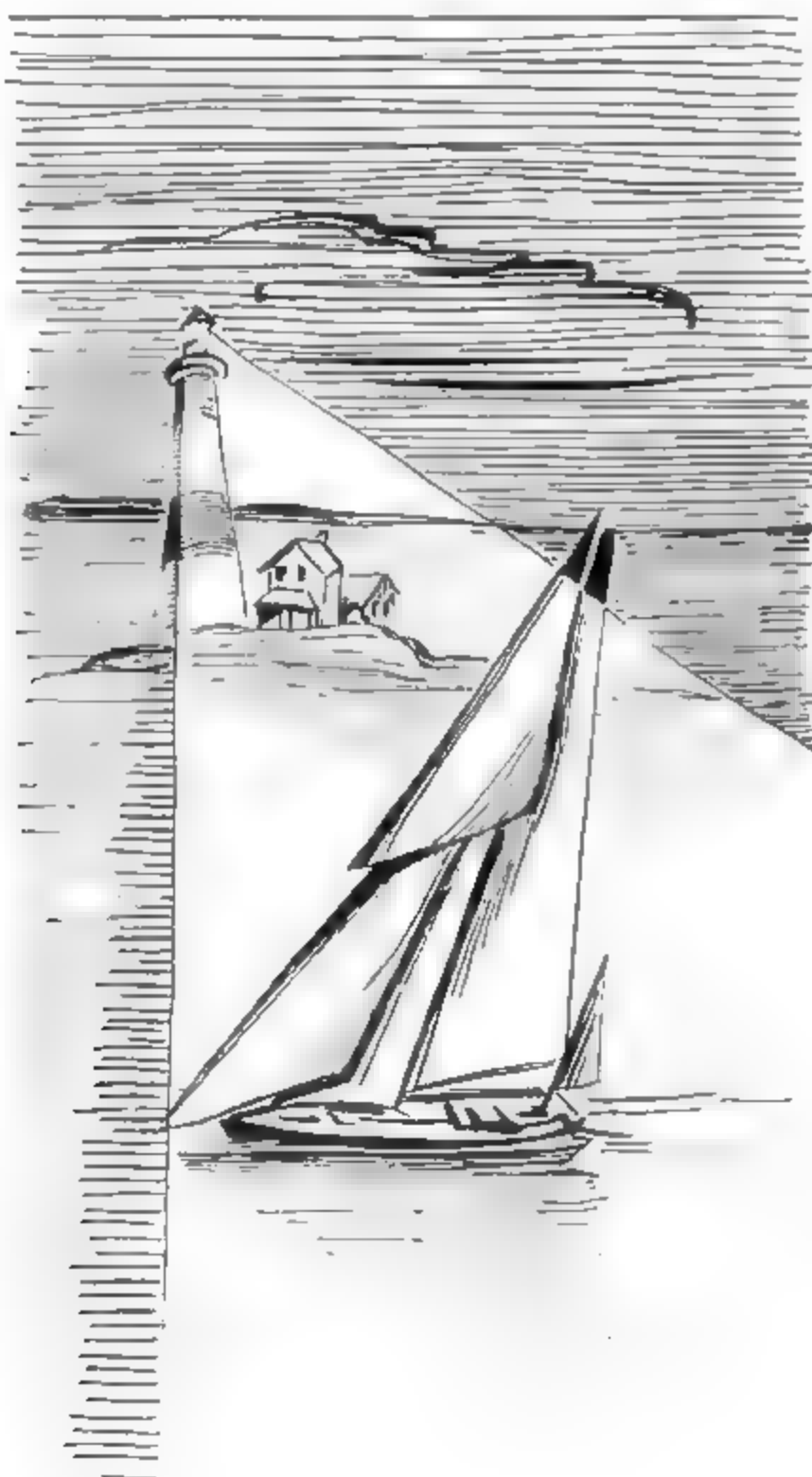
# Music Notes





#### M. H. S. D. G.

Left to right—Z. Walker, K. Gleeson, J. Batson, Mrs. V. Hansen, Advisor; C. Ostergren, M. Smith, G. Emrick, W. Waldorf, D. Dantzcher, P. Pierson, D. Fanto, M. Brugnioni, M. Lambadakis, A. Kieswetter.



Shortly before Christmas the senior cheerleaders put on the Pow Wow. Financially its success didn't measure up to the wonderful time that everyone had who attended. Mr. Nannini and Miss Cohen gave the youngsters a few pointers on how to do the Bunny Hop. All the fun was recorded by one of our ardent camera bugs, Ronnie Freeman. He did a really big business selling pictures of students and teachers alike, all of them thoroughly enjoying themselves.

MHS students made names for themselves this past fall. Carol Vieth, Bobbi Sanderson and Shirley McOsker won prizes in the Spanish poetry contest. Judy Dawidoff, Bordie Painter, and Marc Brugnioni took part in panel discussions on radio and T. V. that were heard and seen by many of us. Bob King became head of the Senior Prom. Twenty seniors were added to the National Honor Society. Janet Arps, Marc Brugnioni, Dave Daniels, Dave Dantzcher, Judy Dawidoff, Roger Detels, Bev Feuss, Cynthia Harris, Joan Hoppock, Ann Kieswetter, Marcus Lambadakis, Cissie Morrow, Carol Ostergren, Bordie Painter, Bobbi Sanderson, Robert Snook, Harold Volmer, Jim Wagner, Herman Weigand and Carol Wills, were the students who were selected because of their scholarship, leadership, service, and character.

Later on in November Uve Hublitz, Fritzie Stein, Jim Wagner, Bordie Painter, and Marc Brugnioni became the first boys to model for the *Four* fashion show.



As Christmas drew near the seniors started working on their senior prom. Bob Kasnitz converted a Discussion Club meeting into a Prom Decorations Committee meeting so that we all sat around and cut out blue snowflakes while discussing teenage problems.

The MHS tradition of the Christmas Pageant was revived this year. The Biblical scenes and passages were especially beautiful and inspiring. After the pageant we joined in the singing of Christmas carols in the hall. Everyone was full of the Christmas spirit and looked forward to the wonderful holidays. One boy said that he liked vacations, but that he liked school better, because school was the one place where we could be together with all our friends. We could have more fun and more laughs in school than in any other place. We all tended to agree with this as we happily anticipated the Senior Prom and a wonderful Christmas vacation.

## Winter

THE vacation was over, and somehow the somewhat-less-than-studious inhabitants of beloved MHS dragged themselves back to school. All the students felt that the vacation should have lasted at least one week longer to allow them to recuperate from the previous week. However, it didn't even take the teachers one week to get back in their old rut of handing out assignments right and left.

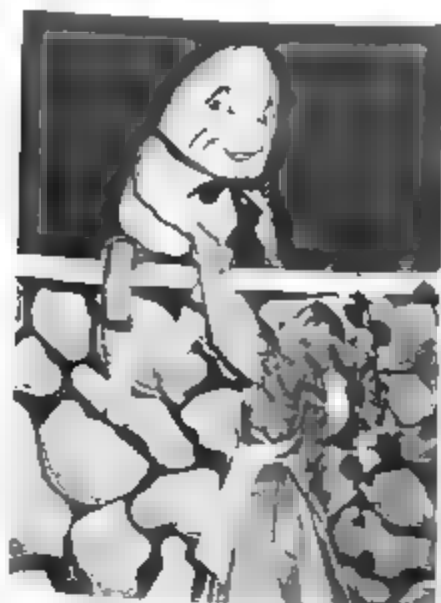
In Manhasset, school is often considered synonymous with activities and once school got going again the activities also started. On January fifth, a party was given for Miss Di at Lenie Correll's house, where the Spanish students presented Miss Di with a lovely wedding gift. The fifth was also the date of the tryouts for the Spring Production, *Alice in Wonderland*. All the old familiar "hams" and many new aspiring actors took part in the

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### DISCUSSION CLUB

*Front row, left to right—G. Lang, A. Kieswetter, M. Smith, J. Perrin, N. Reimers. Center—C. Mushier, D. Grennan, B. Boos, K. Christenson, C. Morrow, P. Callan, E. Sineer, Miss M. Hoch, Advisor; S. MacWatt. Standing—W. Hess, F. Stein, R. Haus, B. Lindsay, U. Hublitz, R. Stemmerman, R. Kasnitz*





# Behind the



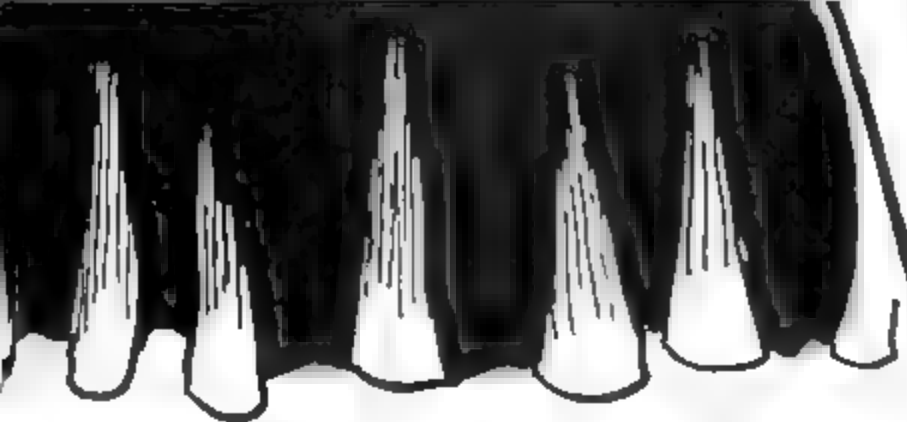
*Top left* The Egg and Alice

*Above*—Oh Pain!

*Center left*—Backstage preparation

*Bottom*—Watch out, Marcus!

*Right*—Dee, Dum and admirer



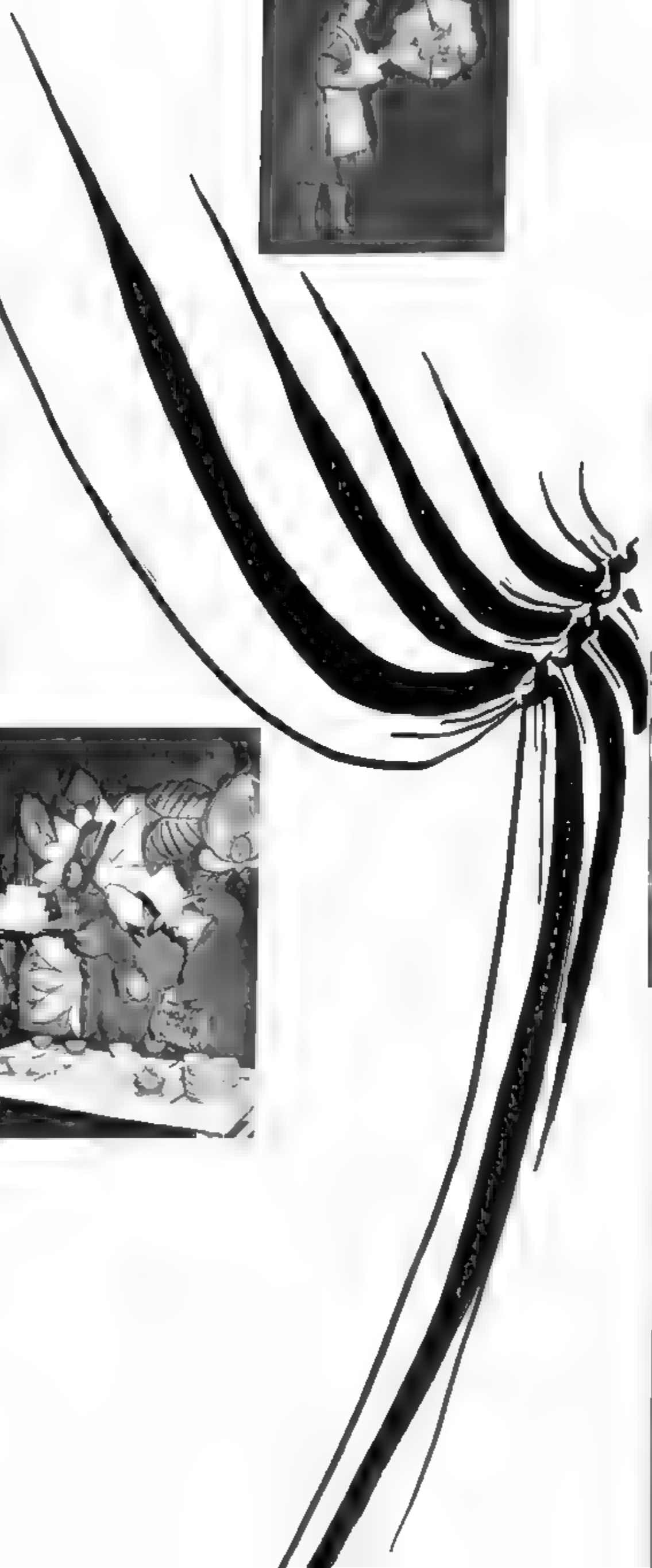
# Scenes



*Top right—"Oh dear! I'm late."*

*Above—Talent in the Pit.*

*Right—"A very merry unbirthday"*





#### STAGE CRAIT

*Bottom row, left to right — C. Schreff, I. Reuter, L. Middleton, M. Smith, A. Kieswetter. Second row — C. Bruns, J. Lowe, P. Lambert, J. Haska, E. Denu. Top row — M. Lambadakis, B. Wesley, P. Pierson, F. Young, E. Koch.*

#### SCIENCE CLUB

*Bottom row, left to right — Allan Webb, Guy Gioia, Roy Kehl, B. Pinkernell. Second row — J. Lawrence, G. Sharpe, P. Kumm, S. Goldstein, C. Waldorf, P. Farber, E. White, T. Phillips, B. Steinhoff, T. Caserta, P. Costello, Mr. L. Prunhuber.*



#### CHEMISTRY CLUB

*Front row, left to right — E. Diener, E. Farber, C. Waldorf, J. Arps, J. Golsner, B. Feuss, B. Watts. Back row — J. Alspach, G. Zullo, B. Hyatt, B. Lindsay, B. Stemmerman, B. Snook, T. Maynard, J. Makowski, R. Griffith, P. Farber, Mr. R. Bishop, Advisor.*

production which was one of "Cecil B. De Hansen's" greatest extravaganzas, featuring a cast of sixty and an equally large production staff who performed miracles in producing costumes and scenery. Penny Miller starred as Alice and Reed Browning played the part of the white rabbit, with Bruce Lindsay, Fritzie Stein, Gary Rauch, Bob Schirling, Jack Hall, Marc Lambadakis, Dave Dantzcher, Phil Pierson, Mildred Smith, Marc Brugnani, Judy Dawidoff and Joyce Perrin among the supporting cast. The play was scheduled for February fifth and sixth, with a performance on the sixth for the S. C. A. Children's Entertainment

the seniors. Their thoughts kept wandering to the College Boards to be held on the ninth of January. One confident soul was heard to mutter, "If I shoot myself, I won't have to go to college." (So there!)

MHS gained more glory when Cissie Morrow came out on top in the semi-finals in the annual American Legion Oratorical Contest, in which she participated in a panel discussion with students from four other schools and when Carol Ostergren was elected by the seniors to participate in the D. A. R. good citizen contest.

Something rarely seen in the region of Manhasset, snow, was found on the ground one morn-



#### FRENCH CLUB

*Bottom row, left to right*—J. Dawidoff, Madame G. Hare, Advisor, C. Walls, C. Ostergren, I. Hoppock, A. Letcher, B. Tideman, B. Sanderson, E. Bigelow, B. Holzbog, D. Vaught, S. Bard.  
*Second row*—M. Reed, B. Pflug, P. Cagel, P. Brock, G. Nassib, J. Reuter, L. Cote, S. Morse.  
*Top row*—L. Werden, E. Singer, E. Bessell, M. Parker, P. Pforr, M. Richardson, A. Mahoney, K. Christenson, Z. Walker, P. Lincoln, C. Conner.

Series. This gave the Hansenian players a one month grind of rehearsals.

One day, when all the students were peacefully sleeping in their classes, Mr. Nannini prowled the halls with his hands full of locks in the process of carrying out the latest decree from headquarters, namely the installing of school locks on all lockers. This move was met by howls of anguish and threats of mutiny, but with the exception of a few that were apparently dynamited off, the locks installed by authority remained.

However, the first enchanting week of school, after the Christmas vacation, wasn't very gay for

ing. Not only was there snow; there was too much snow and MHS students were forced (completely against their own will, of course), to stay home. The next day dawned bright and clear, and, though MHS scholars strained their ears, they failed to hear my announcement over their radios that Manhasset High would be closed. Oh well, the snow was good for a one day's vacation anyway!

Ninety-five culture-mad students went to the opera on January fifteenth and saw *La Boheme*. On the evening of the same day, the perhaps not-so-culture-mad MHSDG tangled with chopsticks





#### SPANISH CLUB

*First row, left to right—J. Daniel, J. Wolfe, S. McOsker, P. Lincoln, S. Voigt, S. Kennard, J. Persons. Second row—B. Feuss, Mrs. V. Rollins, Advisor; J. Arps, J. Dawidoff, M. Rankin, A. Messick, S. Brink, M. Masland. Top row—B. Lindsay, B. Watts, P. Plaster, S. Sutorius, H. Petruccio, C. Yoder, J. Lowe, N. Reimers, J. Huffard, L. Strong, J. May*

#### LATIN CLUB

*Bottom row, left to right—L. Rankin, S. McDougal, P. DeHoust, S. Pease, Mr. W. Vassiliw, Advisor; M. Lambadakis. Top row—C. Nagele, L. Hansen, J. Tanner, D. Deaver, B. Tarbell, B. Gimple, J. Price, N. Mellor, P. Erhart, M. Hundley.*





in a genuine Chinese restaurant and afterwards went to see *The Prescott Proposals*.

The marking period drew to a close and the seniors crammed for tests along with everyone else. Doc's lab was filled both at lunchtime and after school with the future chemists of America trying to make up experiments.

The end of the marking period brought marks and loud exclamations of pain. Doc suggested that some of his budding young scientists had better see the guidance office about program changes. The beginning of the new marking period brought re-registration for activities with delightfully long forms to fill out as part of the new Nannini system of simplification. Some new activities were started. Included among these were the Future Teachers of America, the Nursing Club, and Miss Novelty, a shop class for girls.

The *Cub* came out with its first edition of '54 flattering various seniors who were quite pleased at finding themselves incorporated in "the perfect (?) senior." The perfect junior (?) later made an appearance, undoubtedly because of popular demand.

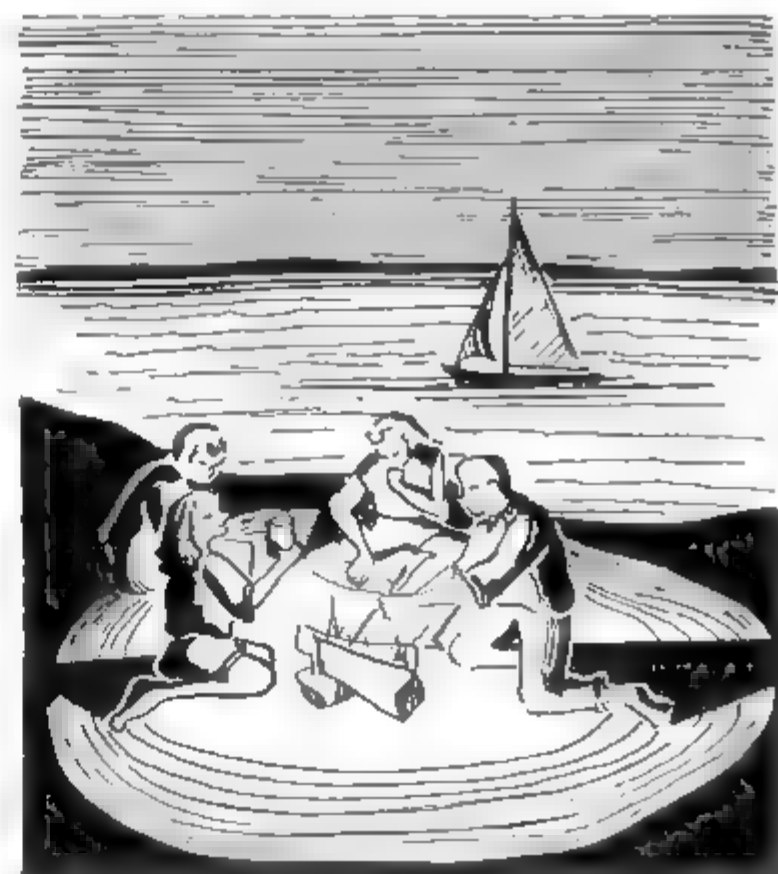
Volleyball night rolled around. The Blue teams received a severe blow from the Orange. The main attractions of the evening were the duels between the trimly attired boys' volleyball teams and the girls' teams.

Manhasset had her first exchange assembly when students from Garden City gave interesting and "uncensored" talks on France and Germany.

On Friday, January 22, school was dismissed at one o'clock for everyone except for the poor math students who were taking practice regents. That night the Youth Center had an ice-skating party at the Great Neck Rink. It was fun, although the results for some tyros were painful.

Soon the cry "just like mother makes," was heard in the halls of MHS. The Chefs Club held its cake sale. It featured the domestic artistry of such world-renowned cooks as "Charlotte" Roberts, "Roberta" Stemmerman, "Donna" Mortimer and "Rita" Haus. That same day Cohen's convicts broke loose in the fourth period senior gym class. Among them were such persons of ill-repute as Peerless Poil, Doober Diener, Sightless Seeger, Fearless Phyl, Ferocious Ficken, Backward Bachman, and the Spy.

With the beginning of February, work started on the two hops. The *Tower Hop* had "Bachelor's Delight" as its theme. Flavia Seeger was chairman and was assisted by Janet Arps, Cocoa Ferguson, Barbara Ficken and Carol Wills, who were committee chairmen. Advertising for the hop was done by a committee who seemed to write reams of poetry urging the girls "to grab that man and buy





#### ENGLISH CLUB

*Bottom row, left to right*—B. Grieg, K. Simpson, K. Bruemmer  
*Second row*—J. Crosby, J. Arps, M. Bockus, P. Dougal, F. Stein,  
 B. Miller, J. Wolfe, M. Limbadakis. *Top row*—C. Waldorf, C.  
 Conner, B. Holzbog, Mr. P. Sweitzer, Advisor; L. Werden, B.  
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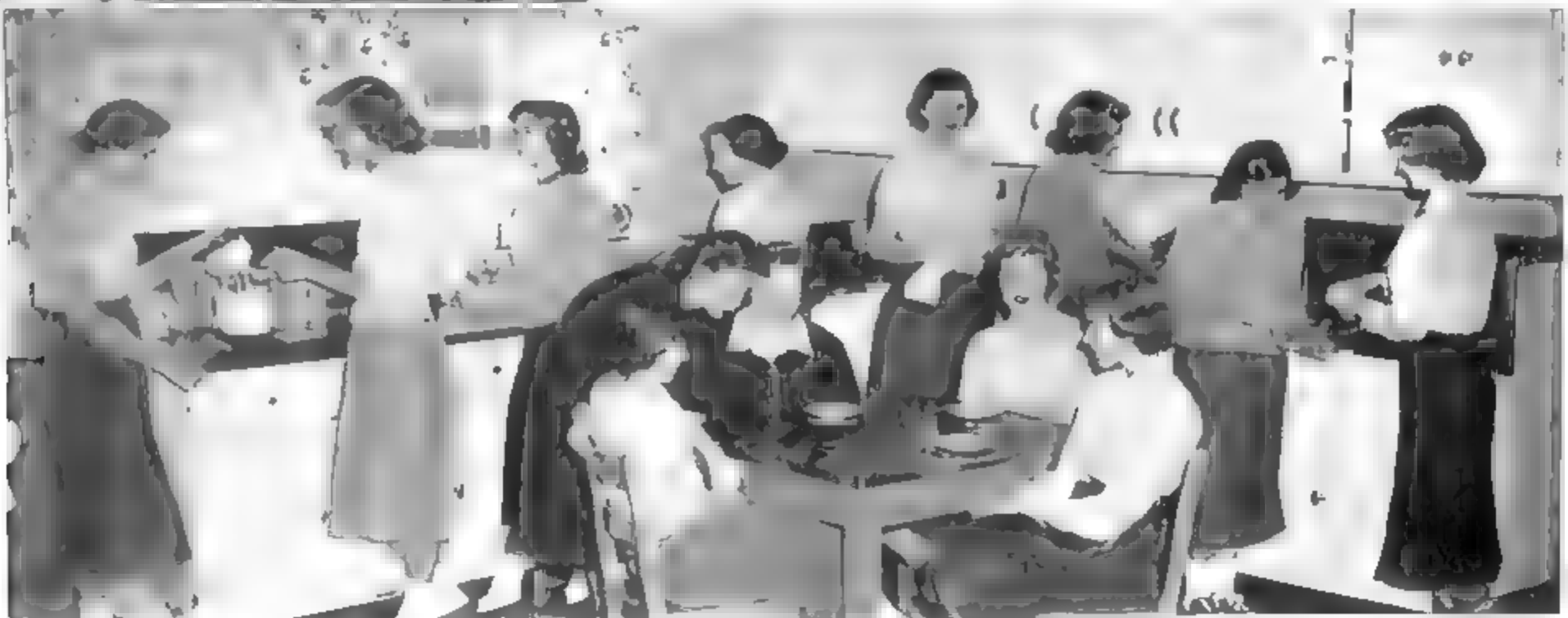


#### CHESS CLUB

*Standing, left to right*—D. Mortimer, C. Roberts, J. Behne, B. Hyatt,  
 B. Stemmerman, B. Hayes, D. Davis, D. Daniels, I. Maynard, J.  
 Angus, B. Snook, J. Heinbuckel. *Seated*—B. Lindsay, Miss L. Bilky,  
 D. Haus

#### 3.25 CLUB

*Center, left to right*—B. Robinson, Miss L. Bilky, Advisor; L. Strong,  
 D. Hubschmidt, L. Middleton. *Standing*—S. Kahler, R. Hodes, C.  
 Brons, J. Crosby, C. Srebroff, M. Kay, P. Brown





#### HOME EC. CLUB

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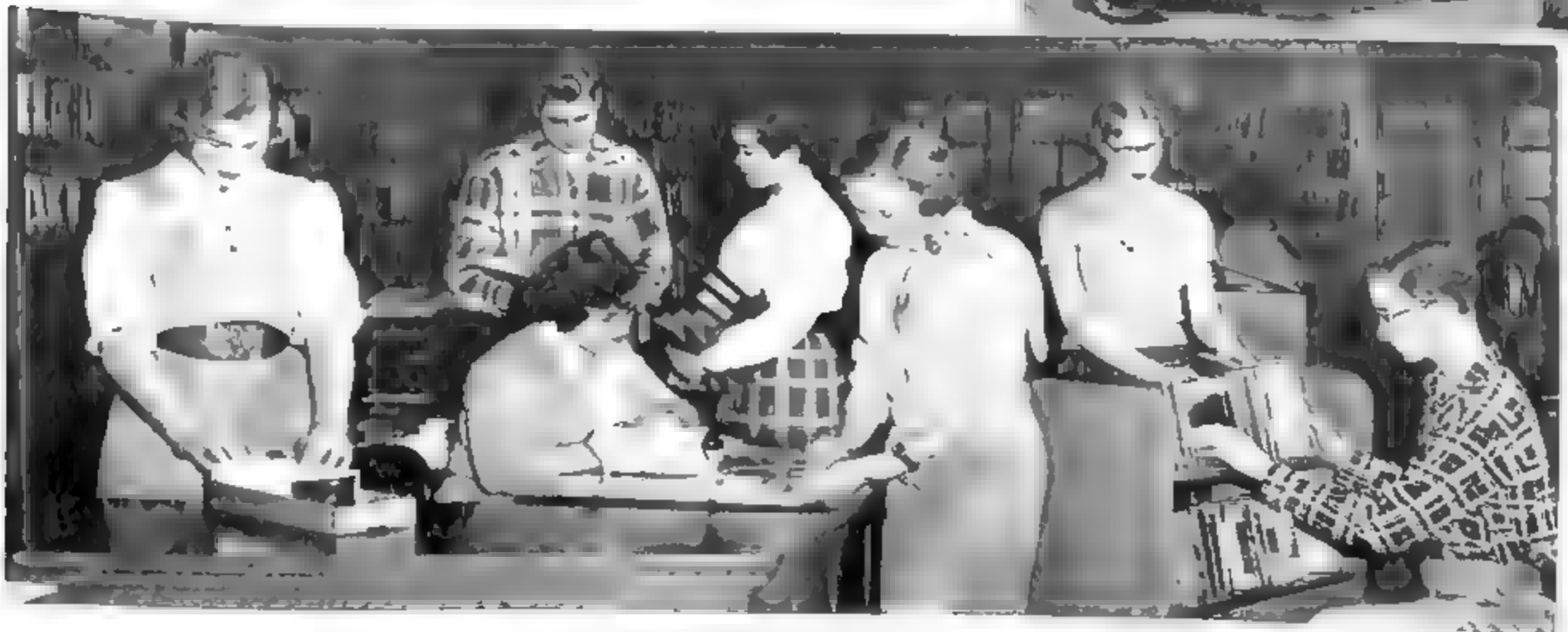
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a ticket." The night for the hop arrived and we found the gym decorated as an island paradise. The *Tower* even made a few dollars on it!!!

The sophomores elected Jack Bledsoe as their hop chairman and chose "Carousel" as their theme.

Dave Musial was head of decorations, Gail Angus and Carol Botjer were publicity heads and Holly Arnell was program head.

There were more forms to be filled out. This time they were for the second batch of College Board exams. Some lucky seniors had already been accepted at various colleges. The seniors were also asked by the *Tower* to fill out long sheets, listing the activities in which they had participated. The senior section editor of the *Tower* then proceeded to go mad trying to fit the print in pages dominated by activity hounds.

The well-modulated voice of Don (the greatest) Klages, heard over the P.A. blasting unwary students out of their chairs, indicated that someone had lit a fire under the one and only Terzian and *Tower* pictures were to be taken. This tended to disrupt classes and allay the fear of tests, much to the students' delight.

At last the night came for the curtain to rise on *Alice In Wonderland*. Although tagged "Malice in Blunderland" by some more cynical members of the MHSDG, it proved to be a great success.

#### INTERCULTURAL CLUB

*Bottom, left to right—A. Mahoney, M. Parker, B. Bonn, P. Cotter, B. Zino, B. Lewis, H. Petrosino, B. Terry, J. Wolfe, J. Royal. Second row—Miss Decker, Advisor; P. Wahlert, P. Dougal, C. Slagle, A. Letcher, M. Richardson, B. Bruno, D. Chester, C. Fullerton, P. DiSalvo, A. Wick, M. Fascius, Mrs. Herrforth, Advisor; V. Powell, K. Christenson, C. Zignone, B. Parkinson, M. Gomberg, R. Schmid, M. Bockus, A. Messick, M. Wadsworth, A. Couchman, J. Mattson, A. Metz*







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The S. C. A. gave a party for the cast and the production crew after the last performance. And the D. G. treasurer started counting shekels again. All of a sudden it seemed that everyone was

trying to sell something! Tickets for Father and Daughter Night to be held on March fifth were being sold. The *Tower* started its sales campaign while its editors wondered where they were going

#### SECRETARIAL CLUB

*Left to right—*Miss D. Norian, Advisor; G. Lang, P. Sullivan, J. Crosby, K. Broemmer, I. Konchinski, B. Terry, R. Schmid

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#### ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE

*Left to right—Mrs. V. Hansen, Advisor; B. Schirling, D. Davis, S. Handley, M. Reed, K. Gleeson, K. Robinson, J. Reuter*

to dig up a down payment of one-fifty to buy their own handwork.

Tryouts were held to pick six senior girls to model at Arnold Constable's. Pat Dougal, Joan Golsner, Aurelia Wick, Katie Broemmer, Martha Parker, and Nancy Reimers were chosen. Aurelia Wick was chosen to compete for the title of Miss Nassau.

Several early birds who couldn't wait for the winter vacation went off to Florida a bit early to

#### CHESS CLUB

*Seated—B. Demunian, A. Metz, P. Spaulding, C. Butler, W. Ingram, Q. Robinson. Standing—J. Meeks, C. Van Aiken, R. Rhens, E. Denu, C. Yoder, J. Makowski*



enjoy the sun and sand. Lincoln's birthday gave the suffering students of MHS a taste of the week-long vacation soon to come and enabled most to drag themselves through the next week of school.

It was announced that MHS would again have exchange students staying with some of its students. A girl from Italy would stay with Ann Kieswetter and a boy from Manila with Bordie Painter. The wheels were set in motion to pick a junior to succeed Dave Dantzcher as the S. C. A.'s ambassador.

Secret plans for Sports Night were already underway. The Orange Team had Barbara Ficken as captain and the Blue Team, Bev Feuss. "Inside



#### SCHOOL STORE

*Left to right—J. Crosby, K. Broemmer, B. Dunning.*

U.S.A." was the theme of the Orange and "Music, Music, Music" of the Blue.

Everyone welcomed the week of winter vacation. It meant a week of fun and relaxation, parties and loafing. This time it wasn't so hard for the students to drag themselves back to school for with the Soph Hop only two weeks away and the Juniors already picking their *Tower* editors and working on their prom, everyone realized that summer wasn't far away. The juniors were thinking of being seniors at last and of having their own Senior Prom. The sophomores were thinking that after a prolonged stay of two years, they would at last get off the shelf!



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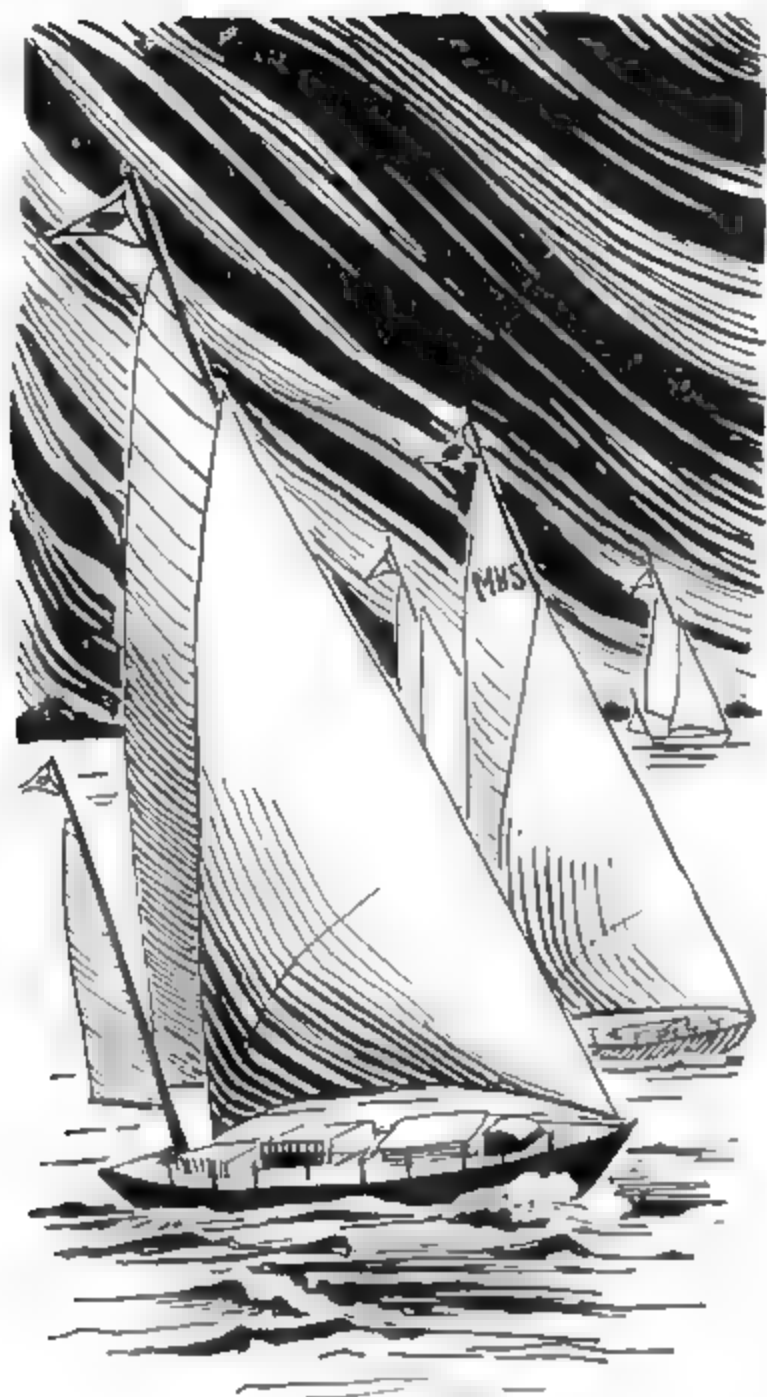


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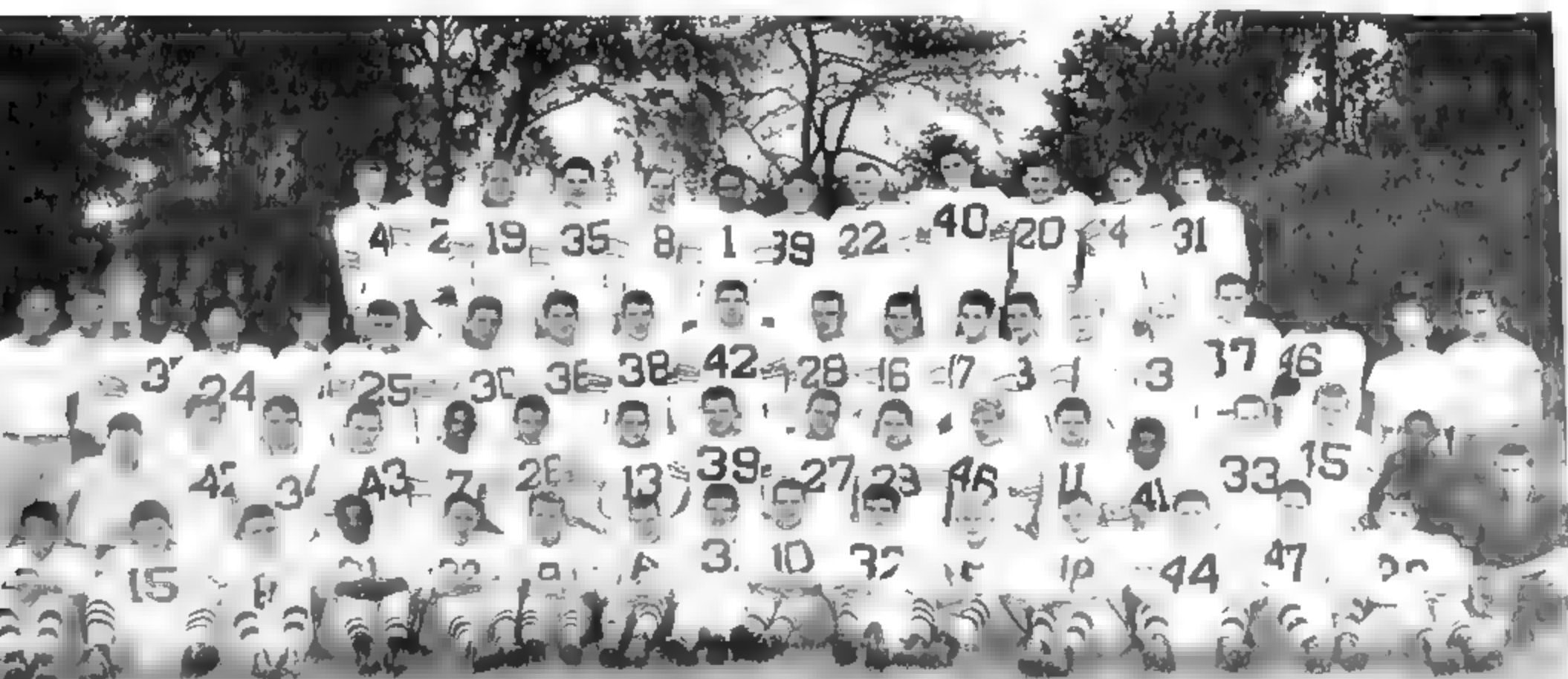


## Boys' Sports

### SPRING

SPRING brought the traditional breaking in of lacrosse sticks and the rebounding of lacrosse balls off corridor walls. Bill Hess, Jeb Stuart, Ted Bessel, Ted Munnecke, Bruce Maxian, John Heinbeckel and the rest of the squad turned in a praiseworthy 6 and 4 record. On the annual New England trip the stickmen played consistently, losing all three games. The highlight, however, was the third game, which was played in a driving rain and ankle-deep mud. MHS defeated Freeport in the playoffs at Hofstra and took third place honors. In the last period with MHS ahead by two goals, several Freeport rowdies began to meddle with burly Ted Bessel. Team loyalty and comradeship turned the game into a pummeling chaos, with young Bessel in the center. Later in the season, Bill Hess was elected captain for the following year and received a berth on the All-Scholastic squad along with teammates Jeb Stuart and Ted Munnecke. Bill also was the high scorer with a remarkable record of 28 goals. A similarly successful season is expected in 1954.

### FOOTBALL SQUAD





#### WRESTLING TEAM

*Bottom row, left to right—N. Papavani, S. Handley, T. Towers, C. Heath, S. Chase. Second row—B. Snook, J. May, R. Davis, S. Oakley, D. Snook. Top row—S. Dunbar, M. Pascucci, D. Daniels, D. Fuller, B. Sagrott, Mr. E. Knapp, Coach.*

The golf team, plagued by a squad of novice duffers, ended the season a little worse than they went in. They had a season's record of 0 and 7. Even under the brilliant leadership of the "Ace," the team couldn't muster a victory. The future, fortunately, promises to be brighter. Don Zeiller, Steve Siedel, and the two outstanding divot diggers, Bordie Painter and Dave Dantzcher, could never be successfully coached, since they spent most of their time tramping through swamps and woods searching for the object of their interest: golfballs (?).

The track team had a good season as they won one triangular meet against Port Washington and Farmingdale. This victory, which was the first triangular win in years, was a great boost to the team. MHS also won one dual meet and placed second in three other triangular meets. Jim Wagner and Jim Brown made names for themselves in the individual competition. Among other honors Jim Wagner placed fourth in the 100 yard dash and second in the 220 yard dash while Jim Brown competed in the high jump in the New York State Championships at West Point. The times of the

#### SOCCER TEAM

*Left to right: L. Farnham, A. Dusch, C. Butler, B. Kroepel, R. Cobb, D. Lane. Second row—B. Furno, C. Yoder, D. Dintzcher, F. Field, S. Dunbar, B. Fowler, C. Bartlett, I. Corley, C. Schroeder, S. Handley. Top row—Mr. Netter, Coach; G. Parker, S. Morse, B. Morris, D. Van Derzee, C. Rose, R. Deich, B. Lasky, D. Daniels, B. Walker, K. Stocker, B. Brown, A. Caserta, J. Bladon.*





#### VARSITY LACROSSE

*Bottom row, left to right*—D. Snook, M. Tardiff, D. Line, B. Fowle, P. Mansfield, L. Sutornus, J. Cooke, F. Bessell, B. Watts, G. Rauch, *Middle row*—C. Leslie, S. Handley, P. Leverich, J. Wheatley, B. Hess, E. Logue, T. LaMotta, B. Seagrott, B. Kasnitz, B. Maxian, *Top row*—R. Schatz, S. Morse, W. Clark, T. Towery, F. Roper, P. Becker, B. King, J. Hall, J. Allen, J. Behne, B. Snook, J. Heinbuckel, Mr. L. Netter, Coach.

#### TRACK TEAM

*Bottom row, left to right*—U. Huhltz, C. Schroeder, Q. Robinson, C. Kueswetter, J. Curry, D. Pierson, B. Cobb, E. Corley, B. Higgins, J. Podstupka, *Second row*—F. Acerno, J. Oliphant, B. Steinhoff, C. Heath, R. Rosenheim, A. Webb, J. Meeks, P. Costello, B. Anderson, E. Field, B. Derounian, *Top row*—Mr. A. Dawson, Coach; E. Denu, P. Pierson, B. Laskey, Mascot, J. Wagner, B. Waldorf, J. Chebuske, D. Vanderzee, J. May, R. Clark, B. Bucholz, P. Callan, W. Leverich, B. Heinman, D. Balzer.



races were good despite the 100 degree weather. The team tied for third place in the Long Island meet. Some other outstanding players on the team were Wally Leverich in the 880, Jack May in the 440, and Eddie Corley in the sprints and broad jump. Coach Dawson expects another good season out of his runners and then a dreaded rehabilitation period. With new facilities, however, the track team should be greatly enlarged in the near future.

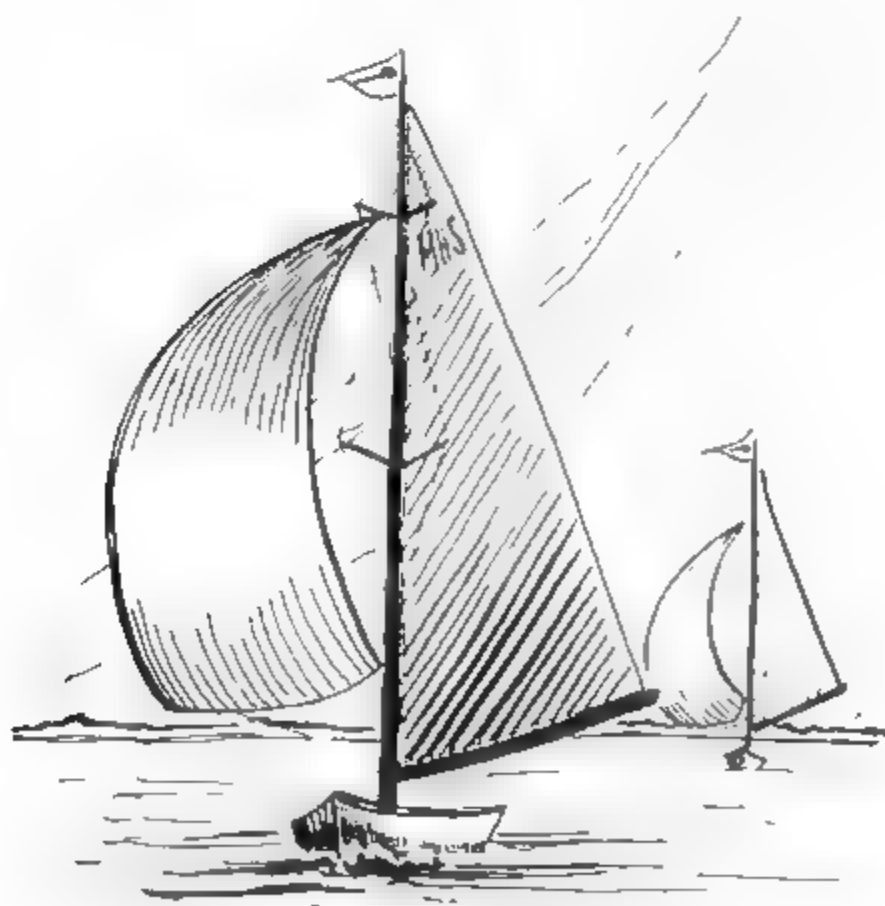
The fly-swatters opened their baseball season with much enthusiasm. They beat Glen Cove, Port Washington, Mineola and Garden City once each and Great Neck twice in ten starts. MHS contributed one man to the All-Scholastic team in '53, Joe Amato. Joe had a record of 6 and 0 as a hurler. Don Klages was elected to the All-League team as center fielder. Charlie Strong finished up his four years of varsity play in fine style and is considered one of the top infielders in MHS history. Strong tied Klages for top honors in batting with an average of .310 and also tied Jimmy Brown and Don Klages in the hitting each with ten apiece. Klages led in RBI's with 10 and in home runs with 3. Fielding honors go to Joe Corley and Bruce Medd; much credit, to Harvey Cooke and Dick McKillop for their aid to the squad. One of the most exciting games of the

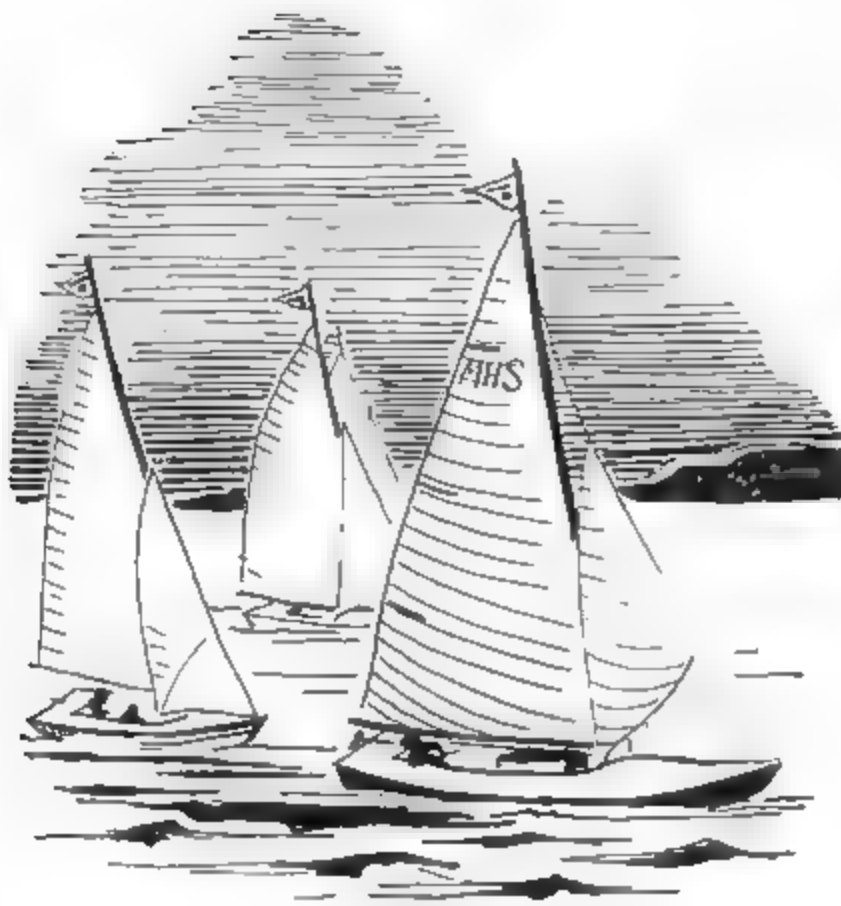


season was the one with Port. Playing a nip-and-tuck game till the sixth inning, Don Klages and Jimmy Brown put in a good day's work. Don hit a single, fly-out sacrifice and a triple to score Jimmy each time. The team emerged victorious and ended its season with a record of 6 and 4, finishing third in the league.

#### FALL

In the fall, MHS had a good football season, although it lost its first game in two and a half years at Farmingdale. For a large number of the team, this was the first losing game they had ever played in high school ball. The loss, however, was an aid to the team spirit and they went on to finish the season in grand style by defeating Glen Cove, Oyster Bay, and Garden City. In the last game, thirteen seniors made their final appearances in MHS uniforms. In the center of the line Bordie Painter, Little Si Sutorius, Golden Bear Pascucci, and Dumph Drummey formed the human blockade both on the offense and defense. Completing the forward wall were Crazy-legs Callan and Fanny King on the right side and Birdy Wright, Coordination-plus Stein and Rolt Moe on the left. This immobile unit paved the way for the big four in the back field. Battered-beak Hess, Don Klages, Deacon Corley and Hun! Huu! Wagner could always rely on Birdy, Fanny,





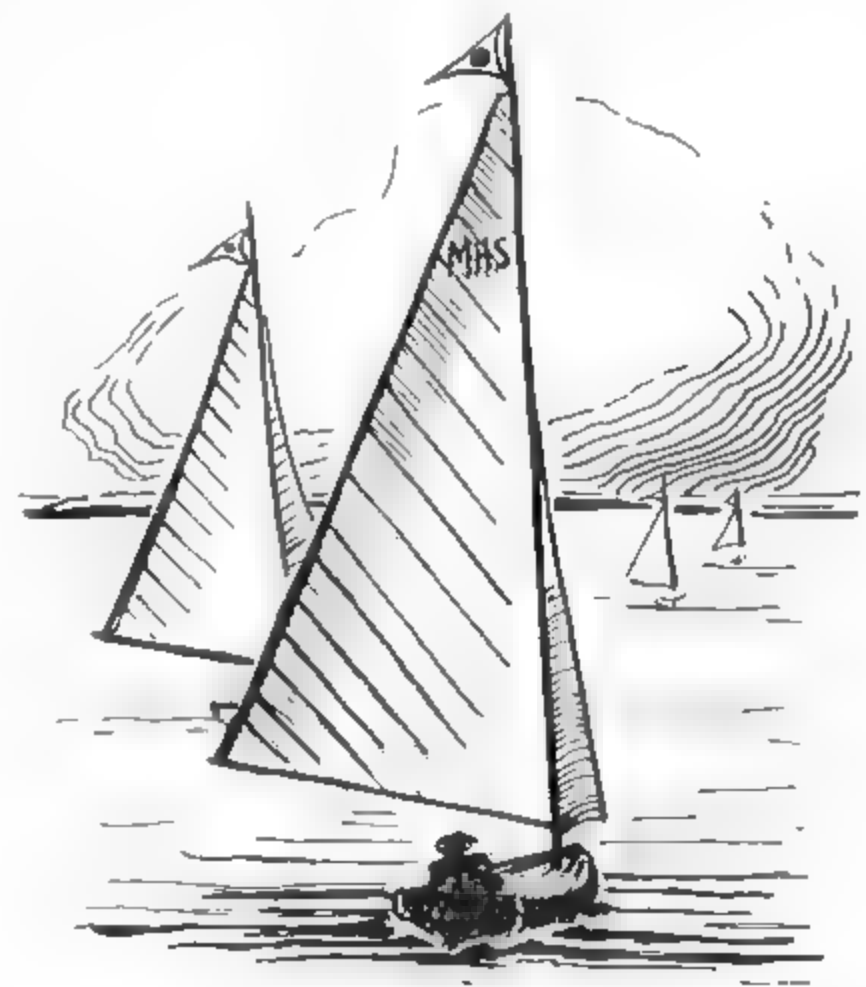
Little Si, or Bordie for an extra few yards. This year Big Mike spilled a play, accounting for a few points and a lot of good laughs. Two All-Scholastic positions were filled by Brad Wright and Jim Wagner. The team had a record of 6 and 1 for the season's competition and tied with two other teams for first in the league standing. The successful season was attributed to the spirit of the team combined with the efforts of the great coaching staff.

A potentially great MHS soccer team submitted an admirable record at the outcome of the season. The booters' game results of 3 victories and 6 setbacks, do not reveal the extreme struggles their opponents experienced in defeating the MHS team by counts of 1-0. In the game against Sea Cliff, the league champions, the score was tied until the last ten seconds of the game when the Cliffmen scored on a freak rebound. Contributing towards the cause of the great "head and toe" game were Ed Field, Dave Dantzcher, Bob Snook, and Dave Daniels. The potential expected to make a championship team next year are Bob Furno, Joe Corley, Steve Handley, Bruce Fowle, Steve Morse, Chick Rose and Pete Sealy. The squad contributed two men, Joe Corley and Dave Dantzcher, to the All-Scholastic team. Junior prospects and able coaching point toward a successful season next year.

The tennis team offered stiff opposition to its opponents, placing fifth in the league competition. Its record of 6 and 7 was upheld by outstanding netmen like Bob Schirling, John Carney and Jim Kennedy in the singles. The teams used in doubles competition were Dick Howell with Pete Spaulding and John Huffard with Bucky Bucholz.

## WINTER

Successful teamwork finally entered the MHS basketball court this winter. Through this accomplished teamwork MHS succeeded in ruffling the feathers of top Island teams. The cagers had a league record of 2 and 8 and a record of 4 and 12 for the season. They didn't, however, lose any game by more than 12 points. They also played overtime game against Mephram, Port Washington and Great Neck. Jerry Gray, Charlie Green, and Don Klages held the team records for high scoring and top rebounding. The smooth ballhandling of the Corley brothers and the untiring exertion of Bob Rogan and Mike Peters gave the spectators many exciting evenings. The Port game was one of the most exciting games in the league play even though MHS was defeated. At the end of the first quarter MHS was in the lead by a score of 25 to 7. Through subsequent quarters Port tied up the







#### BASEBALL TEAM

*Kneeling, left to right—D. Musial, B. Jacobs, D. Ligon, D. Fiducia, D. Howell, J. Bullis, J. Guest, J. Bowditch, C. Bartlett, B. Von Rotz, C. Kieswetter. Standing—Mr. Swan, Coach, B. Flance, R. Kramer, M. Pascucci, B. Rogan, D. Klages, C. Roberts, F. Stein, S. Oakley, J. Corley, B. Terry, B. Kleinbecker, Manager; Mr. Malomar, Coach.*

#### VARSITY BASKETBALL

*Kneeling, left to right—J. Oliphant, J. Corley, J. Gray, E. Corley, D. Brock, B. Rogan. Standing—F. Mueller, C. Green, D. Klages, I. Stuhr, M. Peters, C. Roberts, C. Kieswetter, Manager.*





#### J. V. BASKETBALL

*Bottom row, left to right—C. Skinner, P. Barnes, G. Anderson, D. Howell, J. Bullis, R. Heiman, R. Flance. Top row—E. Denu, Manager; Mr. A. Dawson, Coach, R. Detels, D. Van Derzee, C. Rose, A. Rosenheim, D. Zeller, D. Ligon, L. Soucek.*

game with only twenty seconds remaining. Each team scored two field goals and the game went into an overtime period. All played their hearts out in that game, even the spectators. The game revealed to Coach Mueller the possibility of a more successful record next season.

The wrestling team under the leadership of a new coach, Mr. Knapp, began its season in the new wrestling room. The grapplers grunted and groaned through a season's record of 4 wins, 6 losses and 1 tie. Their best competition was against Garden City and Huntington. Regular performers

#### RIFLE TEAM

*Kneeling, left to right—D. Dantzcher, C. Schroeder, K. Mapp, S. Dantzcher. Standing—Mr. C. Hoffman, Coach, G. Zullo, B. Miller, B. Brown, D. Jorgenson, Manager.*



on the mat were Tom Towers, Rudy Davis, Dick Snook, Ted Toombs, and Bob Snook. The top competitors were Steve Handley, Sam Oakley, Reed Bradford, Mike Pascucci, Dave Daniels and Jack May. The matmen expect to reach a peak next year when three experienced freshmen will make up for the loss of the seniors.

The marksmen of the MHS rifle squad had a record of 1 and 9 for the season. This belies their ability, however, as a great number of the matches were lost by heartbreakingly small margins. With only two seniors graduating, and with able marks-



#### GOLF TEAM

*Left to right—B. Miller, B. Ingram, D. Zeller, B. Painter, S. Milner, B. Furno.*

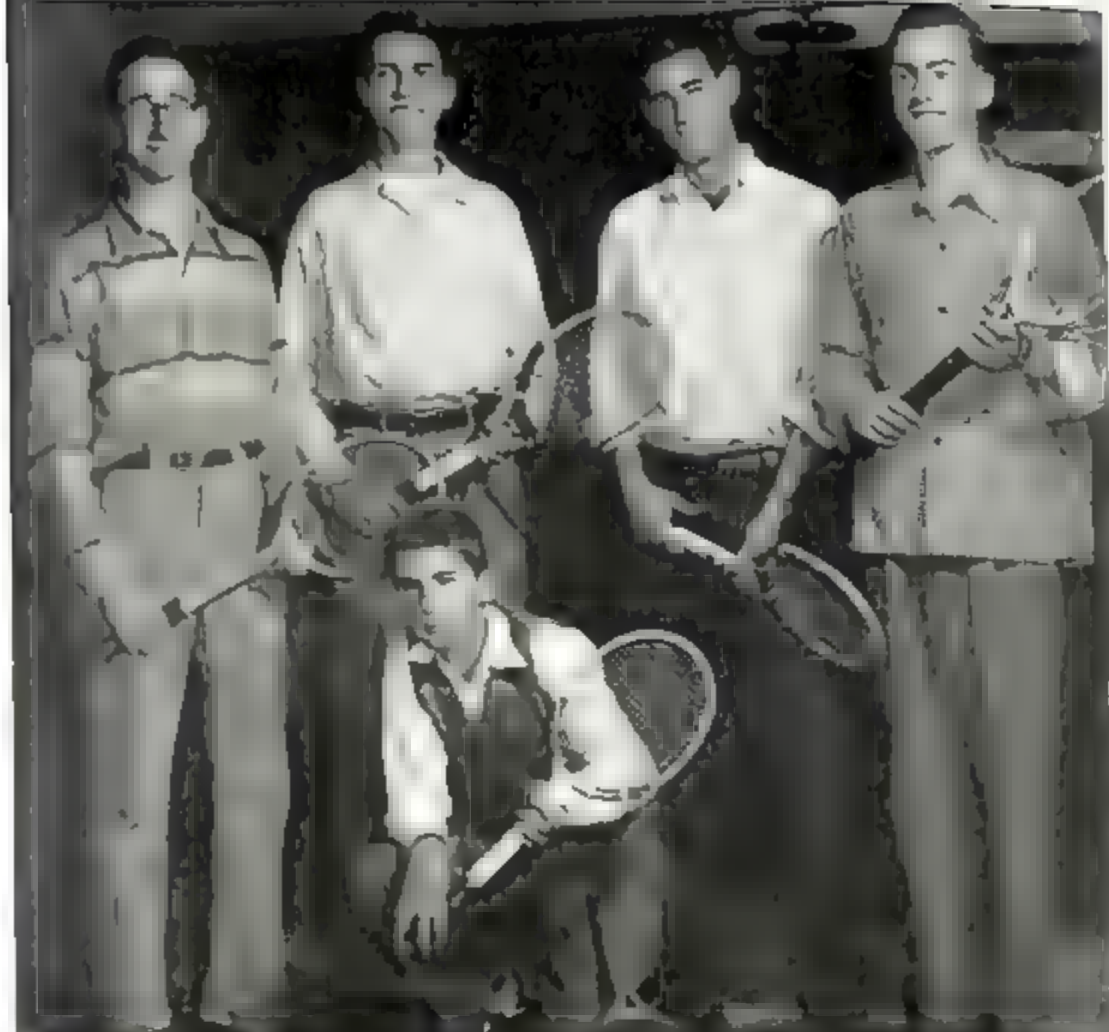
men coming up from the lower classes, the suave coach, Mr. Hoffman, may look forward to more successful seasons in the future.

Bowling threatened to be the most successful enterprise of the year. Proceeding with no defeats through most of the season, Leonard Hill, Bill Hess, Bob Stemmerman, Rich Mazerick, John Heinbockel, and the rest, ended their season at the top of the league.



BOWLING TEAM

*Bottom row, left to right—B. Hess, L. Hill. Top row—B. Stemmerman, J. Heinbockel, R. Masarik, Mr. R. Cooke, Coach.*



TENNIS TEAM

*Kneeling—D. Pierson. Standing, left to right—P. Spalding, J. Huffard, B. Bucholz, J. Carney.*

## Girls' Sports

### SPRING

SPRING at MHS is the time when every girl's heart turns to Sports Night. In March of 1953, there were the customary three weeks of unceasing practices in which almost all the girls in MHS participated. Sandy Guy's "College Daze" Orange team and Carole Smith's "Seventy Dwarfs" Blue team presented impressive entrances. At the end of the eventful night, Dr. Collins announced that the Orange Team had won by the score of 26-17 after a crucial basketball game had determined the winner. As usual, Sports Night climaxed a year of good sportsmanship among the girls.

Lacrosse, a fairly new sport for girls at MHS, had a fine start in the spring, with Marilyn Rankin as manager. Every girl who participated in the intramurals was allowed to play in at least one game against another school. There were four

inter-school games with Kew Forest, Sewanhaka, Friends Academy, and Brooklyn Friends. MHS won three of the games. In the Long Island Schoolgirl Playday, the Manhasset girls placed second.

Riding was a very popular sport this year. Manager Gail Lawrence was swamped when sixty girls signed up. They were divided into two groups and went to Buddy Fisher's Riding Academy every other week.

Individual sports of badminton and ping pong were also offered after school. This gave some girls a chance to play indoor sports during the spring.

The girls, under the managership of Elaine Abbe, tried the basic principles of golf. Alas, there was no chance to go to a golf course to play, but there were many trips to the driving range.

This year hockey camp scholarships to Camp Merestead were again awarded. The lucky recipients were Marilyn Rankin, Barbara Holzbog, and Carole Mushier. The money for expenses was





#### VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

*Kneeling, left to right—L. Barrington, M. Rankin, D. Fanto, F. Seeger, S. MacWatt, J. Perrin.  
Standing—B. Feuss, C. Harris, C. Ferguson, B. Pflug, C. Morrow, P. Lincoln, N. Reimers*

given by the Leaders Club, who raised it by giving a cake sale.

Softball again proved to be the favorite sport for spring. Intramural games preceded the selection of teams. As manager, Barbara Ficken had her hands full. The honor and reserve teams played

four games each. Both teams were undefeated. The frosh team, too, won all its games.

Mrs. Rolquin made arrangements to take twenty-eight girls to Cimmaron Dude Ranch during the spring vacation. They were accompanied by Miss Cohen, who was then physical education teacher

#### J. V. CHEERLEADERS

*Kneeling, left to right—M. Miller, D. Dever, M. Fincke, C. Lawson, C. Viani, Standing—J. Mattson, S. Brink, W. Weber, K. Broemmer, I. Fagereng, C. Liebrecht, N. Mellor*



at Plandome Road School. The girls had a great deal of fun, especially a few who "got lost."

The girls' Athletic Council elections were held at this time. Marilyn Rankin was elected head with Flavia Seeger as her assistant. Sandy MacWatt moved up to be secretary and Anne Zorbaugh became assistant secretary. Betsy Pflug became head of publicity and, of course, Bev Feuss, captain of the Blue Team, and Barbara Ficken, captain of the Orange Team were part of the GAC. These girls were to be responsible for planning the sports program for '53-'54.

Climaxing the year of sports was the annual Awards Tea. Mothers of girls who had earned awards were invited. Sandy Guy was awarded the GAC high point trophy with Carole Smith and Gail Parsell second and third respectively. The Babe Ruth Sportsmanship Medal was awarded to Carole Smith. There was also a special surprise: gold basketballs for the undefeated honor basketball team. Thus with the presentation of well-deserved awards, the spring sports season drew to a close.

#### G. A. C.

*Bottom row, left to right — F Seeger, B. Pflug, A. Zorbaugh, M Rankin. Top row — B. Ficken, S MacWatt, B. Feuss, Miss B. Cohen Advisor*



#### LEADERS' CLUB

*Bottom row, left to right — C. Mushier, H. Arnell, D. Collins, K. Steigler, S. Dinklage, M. Finke. Second row — J. Perrin, M. Rankin, B. Holzboog, A. Zorbaugh, N. T. McMill, J. Tingley. Top row — P. Maher, J. Persons, K. Williams, C. Watkins, L. Fagereng, M. Wheatley, Miss B. Cohen, Advisor*







ORANGE AND BLUE TEAM CAPTAINS  
Beverly Feuss and Barbara Ficken.

### FALL

The girls came back to school in the fall full of energy from the summer. Our first surprise was that Miss Cohen was now in charge of the senior high Girls' Physical Education Department. Everyone soon found out that Miss Cohen took over very well, even though certain senior gym classes tried to give her a "hard time."

Hockey started out with a bang; intramural competition attracted many girls. The honor team won three and lost two; the reserve team won three, lost one and tied one. Later, the honor team participated in the North Shore Schoolgirl Playday

and placed four girls on the North Shore Team: Nancy Tannehill, Barbara Holzbog, Joyce Perrin, and Carole Mushier.

Because the boys' tennis team had priority over the tennis courts, girls' tennis was at a great disadvantage. There was no set schedule and the girls played whenever they could.

### WINTER

In the winter, bowling proved to be quite a popular sport. The girls went to Manhasset alleys every Monday. A bowling team was composed of the ten top bowlers and played Great Neck and Garden City.

Volleyball, with Carol Conner as manager, drew many girls to the gym after school. Class teams played Great Neck, Mincola, and Westbury. Honor and reserve teams played Great Neck and Garden City, winning one and losing one. On January 19, the annual volleyball night was held. The winning class team was a senior team called "The Goofers." Orange and Blue competition was also held at this time.

Basketball, the major winter sport, started in the middle of January with Carole Mushier as manager. In the middle of February, after weeks of intramurals, honor and reserve teams were picked.

Per usual, the girls' sports program was a great success, and the captains and their teams may look back over the sports events of the past year with satisfaction and pride.

### HONOR HOCKEY

*Left to right—G. Nassib, C. Enloe, K. Steigler, J. Persons, J. Mattson, M. Murray, P. Bruck, C. Liebrecht, S. Kennard, B. Boos, S. Slauson.*



# RESERVE BASKETBALL

*From left to right —*  
 G. Fine, D.  
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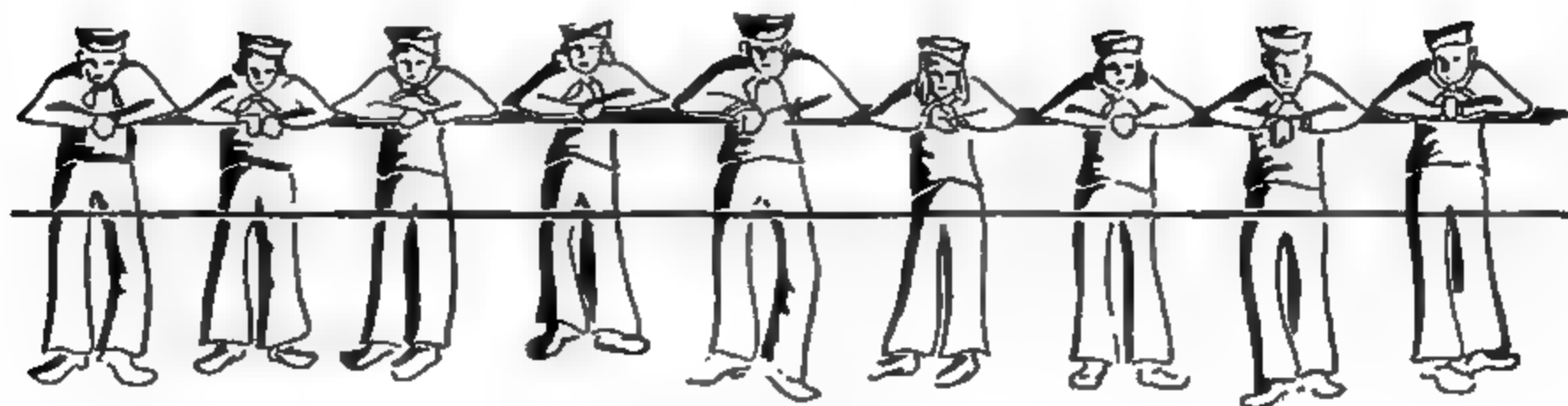
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 S. Kennard, B. Boos,  
 S. Slauson.



# HONOR BASKETBALL

*Left to right —* F. Seeger,  
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 Rankin, S. Houston,  
 B. Teuss.





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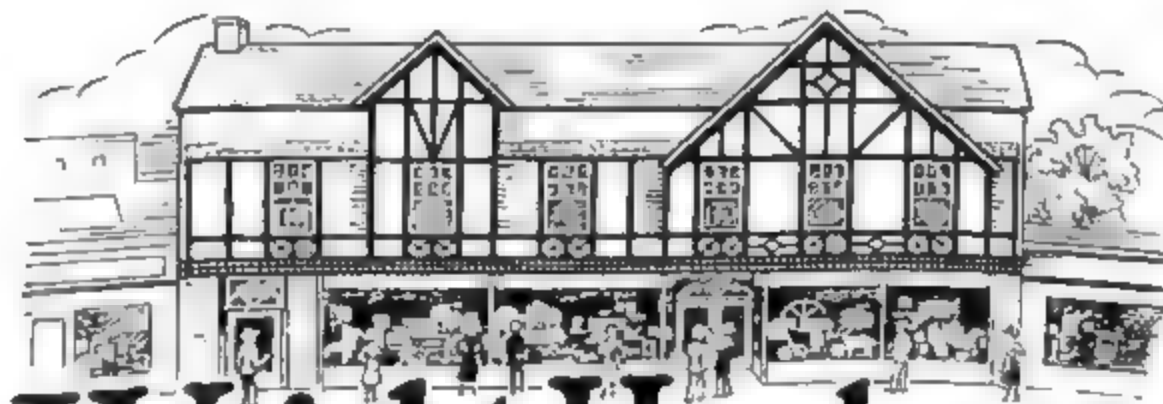
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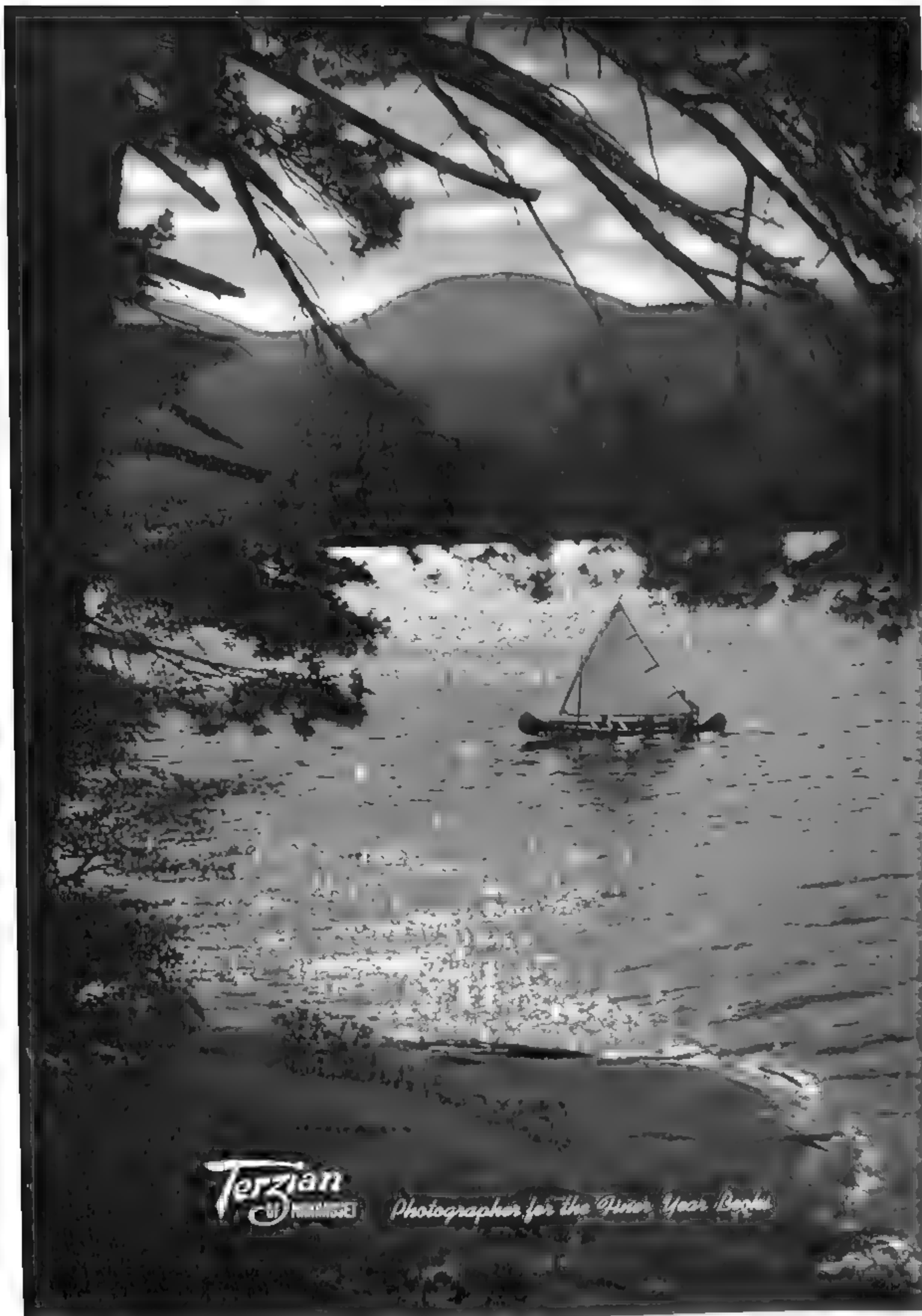
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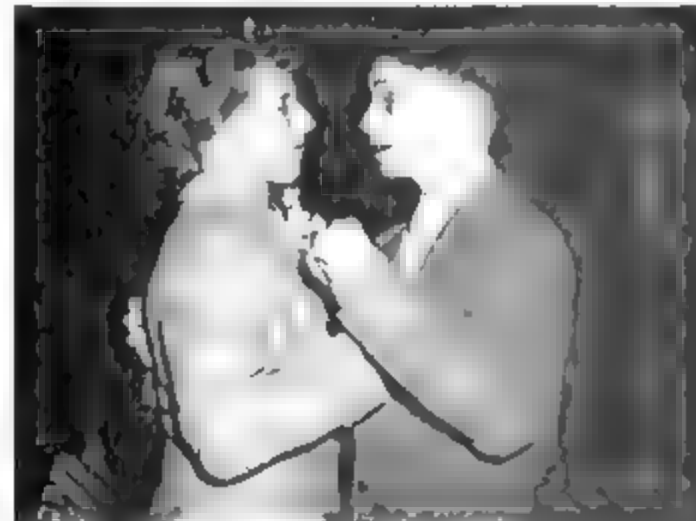
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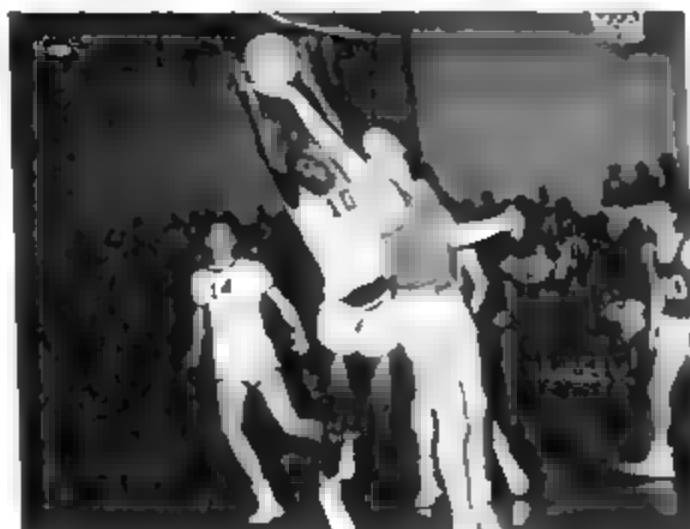
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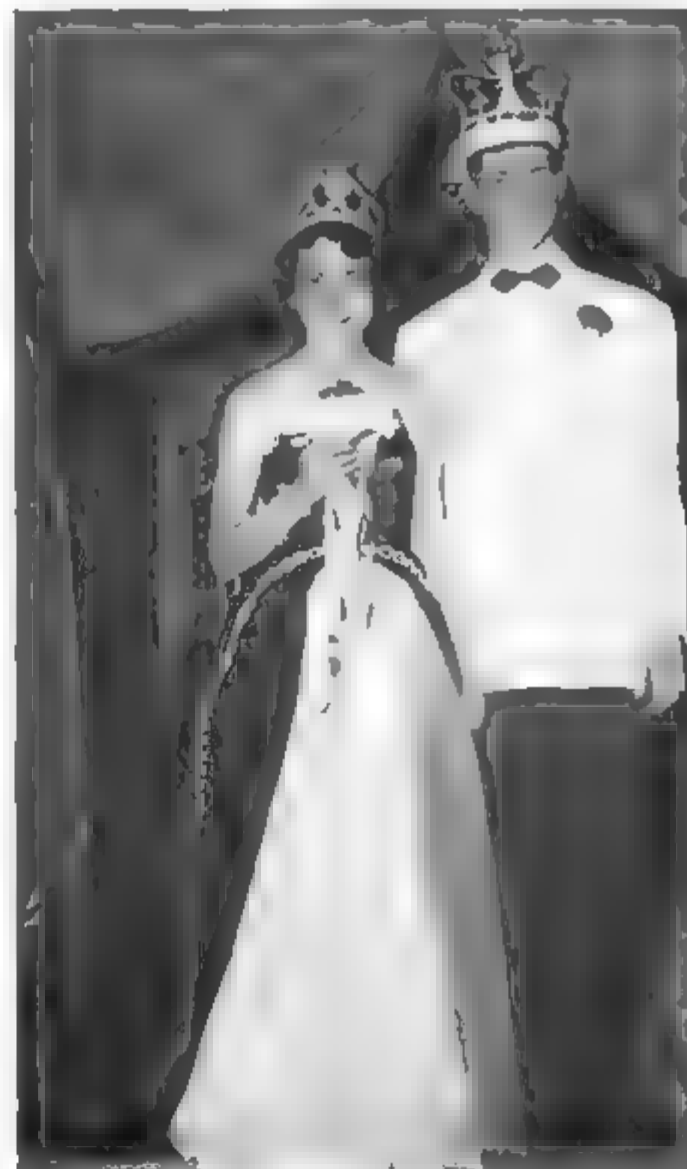
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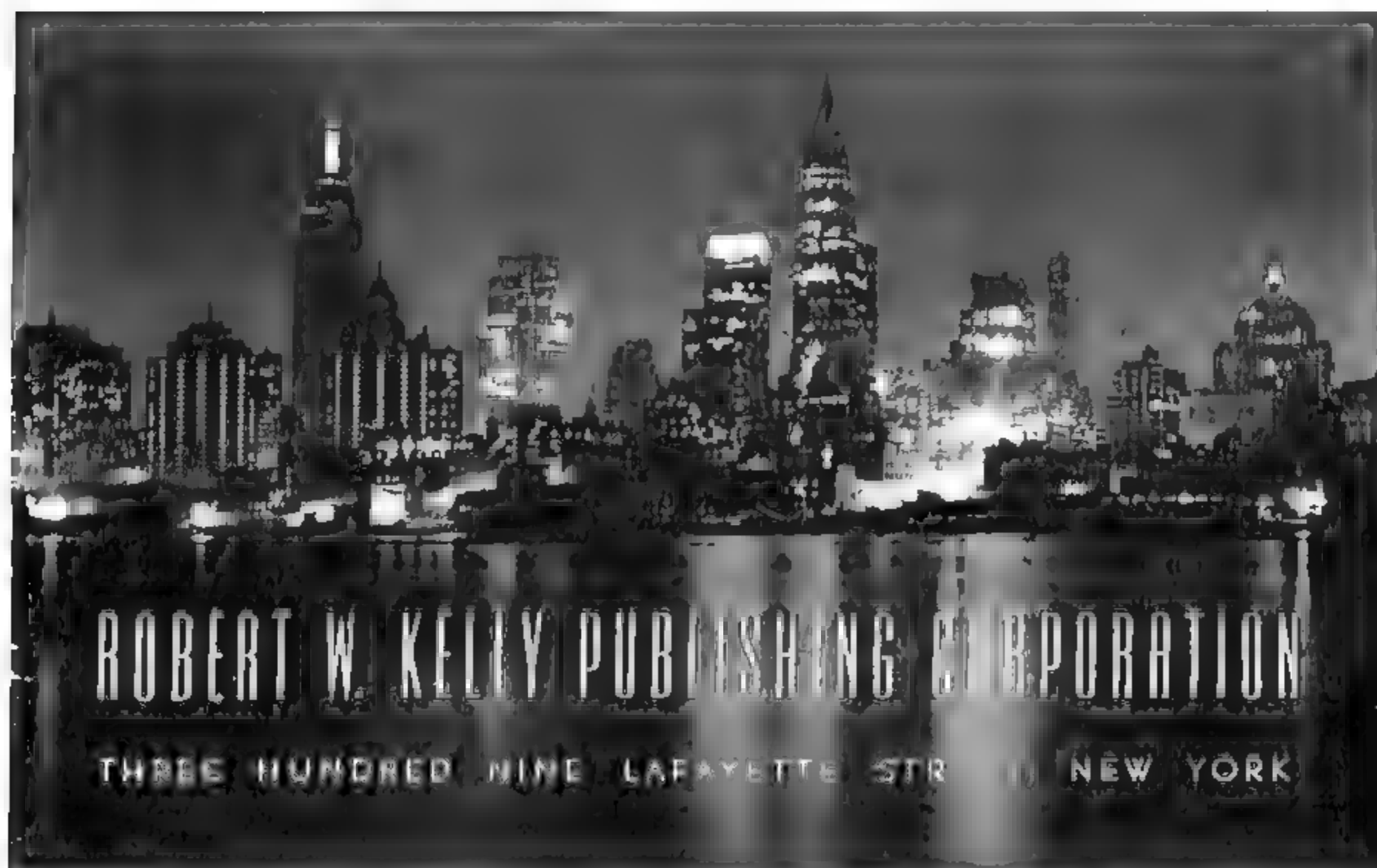
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